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POLITICAL CARDS.

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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, to be held Tuesday, June 13th, 1899.

Primary election, Saturday, June 10, 3 to 7 p. m.

Admiral Dewey says that he will not accet the nomination for President under any consideration.

the Legislature will adjourn with- bar, the County Commissioners on out electing a United States Sena- Friday decided to accept the plans

Senator Quay's trial is now go- will cost half a million dollars. ing on in Philadelphia. It was opened on Monday morning before Judge Biddle. There are seven Republicans and five Democrats on the jury.

the news of a terrible battle between Boston. Twenty-eight tracks in the 105 American and British sailors terminal are to be controlled from this and rebels of the Somoan Island. Four Americans and two British levers connecting, through movable marines were killed. It is not de- roads, with the switches and signals, finitely known, but it is probable this station would require a building that the rebels lost fifty men. It is fully 130 feet long, and 360 levers, said, that the occurrence was pro- with nine men to work them, thus moted by a German planter, and greatly increasing the possibility of that the tragedy took place on his error. The system adopted, however, ground. A demand has been made is one in which compressed air plays for his release, but it has been re- an important part, and with its use fused. Complications of a very only three men will be required to serious character may yet arise over direct the 5,000 or 6,000 train the matter. The situation is con- movements daily, which will be the sidered extremely critical.

Philadelphia, with three judges has track system such facilities for moving, passed the Senate. They already simultaneously or otherwise, so large a have twelve judges there, most if not all of whom have declared that there is no necessity for this additional court. A large majority of the bar and nearly all of the leading A Freeland young man who joined newspapers are opposed to its cre- Uncle Sam's fighters two months ago ation. Notwithstanding this, the Senate has passed the bill. What the House will do remains to be Tampa for this land, which we are seen. Should it become a law the trying to liberate. For forty-five days Governor will have the appointment I have never seen a woman. Fellow of the three new judges. It is said citizens, it you want to appreciate a that he will appoint two Quay Re- woman, get away from her. If you publicans and one Quay Democrat, want to know what a grand, glorious so that the new court will be noth- and helping companion a woman is, ing more than a political pull for just join the army as I did. See noth-Quayites. As Governor Stone has ing but men from morning till night, declared his intention to veto all eat with men, talk with men, help bills that unncessarily take money men, carry men, waik over men, and out of the treasury, we do not see nothing but men. Live in a perpetual how he can approve a measure that atmosphere of suppressed profanity the people of Philadelphia do not and tobacco smoke, and at the end of want, and which will cost the state three weeks you would be passionately \$15,000 a year, and the city of enamored with the mummy of an Philadelphia many more thousands. Egyptian servant girl and give her an

Governor Stone is having a hard time to fill the vacancy on the Supreme Bench caused by the death of Justice Williams. He first offered Pennsylvania, and his practice is to \$5,000,000. Quite a difference beamounts to. Should he accept it, from financial conditions. there is no good reason why he ought not to receive the nomination for the same position at the Democratic State Convention, and yet it | How, When and Where He Won His Nickseems quite certain that any Democrat who accepts an appointment from Gov. Stone will meet with

strong opposition in the convention. The Governor is in a dilemma. If he appoints a Republican to the place, he will offend a large number of other Republicans who want it. And if a democrat accepts the appointment the chances of defeat in the Democratic convention are strongly against the appointee. The best way out of the difficulty is for the Governor to wait until after the Democrats have made their nomination, and then appoint that nominee to the place. There could be no objection to his acceptance then.

STATE NEWS ITEMS.

-Hazleton business men have registered a protest against the removal of the postoffice from its present lo-

-The lifeless body of Cyrus M. Bower, of Williamsport, who was struck by a train, was found dangling from the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad bridge, which spans the Loyalsock creek.

-At a meeting of the local board of trade, of Lancaster, a resolution was adopted requesting the members of the Legislature to oppose the passage of the bill now pending which proposes to increase mercantile tax.

-John Wallen has been missing from his home in Royerstord since March 27. On that day he started out to look for work, saying he would return on the following day, but his wife has heard nothing from him

-Andrew Carnegie, the steel king, has made an offer to the Woman's Club of McKeesport to donate \$50,-000 to erect a library and music hall in that city, the proviso being that the citizens shall secure the site for the building and maintain it, which, he thinks, would cost about \$3,000 a year. A site has already been donated by Biddle B. Coursin for the proposed

-After inspecting and deliberating for three weeks on the various sets of dusky rescuers all the way down the plans for the proposed new Court line. House, at Wilkes-Barre, in consulta-The Senatorial contest is un- tion with an advisory committee, comchanged. It is probable now that prising the members of the Luzerne submitted by Architect F. J. Oster- mined men against an army of wellling, of Pittsburg. The new building armed Indians. Upon his return to

Largest Switch Plant in the World-

What is described as the largest and most complete switch and signal plant ever constructed is being installed at This morning's city papers bring the new South passenger station at station. Under the old system of rule when the yard is in full operation. It is Boston's pride that no other A bill creating a new court for station in the world presents in its number of trains.

This Fellow Evidently Admires the Girlr.

writes home as follows:

"Two months ago" says he, "I left His action will be a test of his sin- electrical kiss that would turn 3000 years of dried flesh into life."

Quite a Difference-

There is some difference between Democratic and Republican rule in the state of Pennsylvania. It is shown it to D. A. Watson of Pittsburg, a when we look at the condition of the Democrat, who declined it. Now state's finances. Robert E. Pattisen he has tendered the appointment to retired from the office of Governor in Hon. S.P. Wolverton of Sunbury, January, 1895. There was then in who has not yet decided what to do. | the state treasury a surplus of between Mr. Wolverton's fitness for the \$6,000,000 and \$7,000,000. At the place in every way is unquestioned. present time the surplus is gone and He is one of the ablest lawyers in in stead there is a deficit amounting worth several times over what the tween Democratic and Republican salary of a Supreme Court Judge methods of administration, judging

"FIGHTING" GUY HENRY.

"You can depend on it, 'Fighting Guy' will see to it that the troops under his command have the finest barracks on the island of Porto Rico," remarked Major George C. Crager, late United States special Indian agent, before a number of Philadelphians who were discussing the future welfare of the United States forces in the An-

"That is General Henry's reputation in army circles," continued Major Crager. "Whenever there is any trouble that needs straightening out, 'Fighting Guy' is sent there."

"How did he get the name of 'Fighting Guy?" " asked one of Major Crager's guests, and the major thereupon proceeded to enlighten them.

"In the Sloux campaign General Henry led a battalion of the Third cavalry against Crazy Horse, the Indian chief. In this battle the general was shot in the face. He was carried off the field, and it was thought he would die. He pulled through, however, and in order to regain his health he was sent as commandant to a Caltfornia post. There he was entirely restored, and since then has been engaged in every Indian outbreak.

"His latest achievement was his coming to the relief of the Seventh cavalry in the ill-fated battle of 'Wounded Knee,' South Dakota, on New Year's day, 1891. General Henry, with his four companies of the Ninth or colored regiment, marched from Fort Robinson, Neb., to Pine Ridge agency, S. D., a distance of 198 miles, in a day and three-quarters. They had little or no rest, and the most peculiar part of the entire lourney was that upon the arrival at their destination not one of the general's soldiers had a sore-back horse. The only stop they made was at White Clay Creek, where they dismounted, and coffee and hardtack were issued to them. From there they marched on to the agency without interruption. On their arrival at the agency news was sent out to them by couriers that the Seventh cavalry was hemmed in by the Indian forces, and but for the timely arrival of (at that time) Colonel Henry there would have been a repetition of the Custer massacre. Before that time the Seventh cavalry always entertained a sort of antipathy against the Ninth on account of color prejudice, but there was not a man that day who

"The name of 'Fighting Guy' was fastened upon Colonel Henry when he led the charge against the Sloux in 1876. He was the only commander who dared lead a small band of detercamp after capturing a band of Sloux under command of Roman Nose, the then leader of the Uncapapa Sioux. General Henry was congratulated, and one of the number of Crow scouts who had been enlisted for this campaign nicknamed him 'Fighting Guy.' Since then the name has stuck to him in army circles, just as the name of 'Fighting Paymaster' adheres to General Thad. H. Stanton, the only paymaster on record that has seen active

"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. Dupp. Walpole, 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. Lizzie Sherbert, Conduit Street, Ext., Annapolis, Md.

Dyspepsia—"We all use Hood's Sarsa-parlila. It cured my brother-in-law and myself of dyspepsia. I owe my life to it." M. H. Kiek, 607 Franklin St., Philadelphia. Hood's Sarsaparilla

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

Never Disappoints

Values That Eclipse Them All.

High Grade Goods at Low Prices.

OUR ALL-WOOL SUITS AT

Is a Marvel of Cheapness to all who see

-LOTS OF BARGAINS-

AT TOWNSEND'S

Star Clothing House.

Notice.

I hereby notify the public that I purchased, from Frank Sponenberg, all the grain in the ground, on the Sponenburg farm in Briarcreek town-GEO. W. WELLIVER.

The Homeliest Man in Bloomsburg

as well as the handsomest, and others. are invited to call on any druggist and get FREE a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c. and 5oc.

PAIN UNNECESSARY IN CHILDBIRTH. Pain is no longer necessary in childbirth. Its causes, being understood, are easily over-come, the labor being made short, easy and free from danger, morning sickness, swelled limbs, and like evils readily cured. Cut this out; it may save your life, suffer not a day onger, but send us 2 cent stamp and receive in sealed envelope full particulars, testimonials, confidential letter, &c. Address, FRANK THOMAS & Co., Baltimore, Md. 3-26 m



REPORT OF THE CONDITION

AT BLOOMSBURG, IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 5TH, 1899.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts...... \$215,990.33

| Overdraits, secured and unsecured | 370.02 |
|---|---|
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation | \$0,000.00 |
| Bonds, securities, &c | 184,827.17 |
| Banking-house, furniture and fixtures | 12,021.64 |
| Other real estate and mortgages owned | 5,467.46 |
| Due from Nat'l Banks (not Reserve Agts). | 11,279.70 |
| Due from State Banks and Bankers | 044.11 |
| Due from approved reserve agents | 81,620.18 |
| Checks and other cash items | 1,050,20 |
| Notes of other National Banks | T, \$40.00 |
| Fractional paper currency, nickels & Cts. | 206.82 |
| LAWFUL MONEY REFERVE IN BANK, VIZ : | 3550400 |
| Specie \$17.885.00 | |
| Legal-tender notes | 40,505,00 |
| Legal-tender notes Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. (5 | 40,505,00 |
| per cent. of circulation) | 400000000000000000000000000000000000000 |
| per cent of circulation) | 2,250,00 |
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LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in \$50,000.00
Surplus fund \$100,000.00
Undivided profits, less Exps. & taxes paid \$10,004.00
National Bank Notes outstanding \$44,400.00
Due to other National Banks. \$24,723.1
Due to State Banks and Bankers. \$112.4
Individual deposits subject to check \$10,006.8
Certified checks. \$58.1
Cashier's checks outstanding \$100.00

Total....\$ 628,975.74 Total.....\$ 628,075.74

State of Pennsylvania. / Ss.
County of Columbia. | Ss.
1, E. B. Tustin, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. B. TUSTIN, CASHIER.
Subscribed and affirmed before me this 12th day of April, 1899.

G. M. QUICK.
CORRECT—Attest:

E. W. M. LOW.
MYRON I. LOW.
C. R. BUCKALEW.

Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

-OF THE-FARMERS' NATIONAL BANK,

AT BLOOMSBURG, IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 5, 1899.

| RESOURCES. | |
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| Loans and discounts Overdrafts, secured and unsecured. U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation. U. S. Bonds on hand. Bonds, securities, &c. Banking-house, furniture and fixtures Other real estate and mortgages owned. Due from National Banks (not Res. Agts.) 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 & cents LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ. | \$167,347.73 86 50,000,00 1,000.00 94,918.75 4,000.48 4,527.73 6022.56 29,022.51 1,589.87 245.00 289.22 |
| Specie | 23,708.00 |
| cent. of circulation) | 2,250.00 |
| | |

.....\$381,529.77 LIABILITIES. apital stock paid in.....\$ 50,000.0 Capital stock paid in. \$6,000.00
Surplus fund Undivided profits, less exps. and taxes paid 15,474-17
National Bank Notes outstanding. 45,000.00
Due to other National Banks. 7,008-27
Due to State Banks and Bankers. 754-00
Dividends unpaid 573.00
Cartified checks. 252,143.61
Cartified checks. 118.82

Certified checks . Cashler's Checks outstanding..... Total\$381,529.77

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, 2 55.

COUNTY OF COLUMBIA. 3 55.

I. A. H. Bloom, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. H. BLOOM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of April, 1800. J. C. RUTTER, JR., Notary Public

CORRECT—Attest : WM. S. MOYER DIRECTORS. FRANK IKELER.

Special Prices on Lace

CURTAINS!

We have never shown as large a line of Lace Curtains, and our patterns have never been so tempting. These goods were bought early and below what we would have to pay for them to day. We intend to give our customers the benefit. We will sell during April Lace Curtains at prices that will save you money. This is not a lot of odds and ends, but just fresh goods, bought from one of the best importing houses in New York, and one of the most reliable. So we guarantee every pair. We start these at 29c. a pair-they would be cheap at 50c. The \$1.00 a pair ones are worth \$1.25. The many different laces, neat effects, at \$1.75, you have never seen for less than \$2.25. We call special attention to the ones at \$2.39, and on up to \$6.00, in Nottingham Lace. The Brussels Net Curtains at \$5.00, \$5.75 and \$7.50 a pair. You cannot match them at those prices. We call your attention to the Applique Curtains at \$5.00 a pair. Muslin Curtains, for bed rooms, at different prices.

Curtain goods by the yard in Embroidered Muslin, from IOc to 25c., Fish Net, for 16 and 18c. per yard. Neat, Dotted Net, with ruffled edge, Embroidered Net, and Plain Lawn, with ruffled edge, in different widths, for long curtains or Sash Curtains.

The heavy Derby Curtains, for arches, we start at \$2.25. These curtains are worth at least \$3.00 a pair. The quality at \$5.00 and \$5.50 a pair, are the prettiest patterns we have ever shown at the price, and the colors are as perfect

as you find in silk goods. The heavy corded curtains at \$8.00 are the best we have ever

Muslin Underwear.

We put on sale this week a lot of Ladies' Muslin Underwear, fresh from the makers, at prices that you cannot buy the goods for, and will save you the trouble of making. Ladies' Drawers, 19c. a pair, and on up. Ladies' Night Robes, 39c. to \$2.50 each. Corset Covers, from 8c. to 75c. Ladies' Skirts, from 28c to \$3.75.

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 5oc. 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, 3½c. 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.

Bloomsburg Store Co., Limited.

Corner Main and Centre.

ALFRED McHENRY, Manager?