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Democratic State Ticket.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL, P. GRAY MEEK, of Centre Co.

FOR CONGRESSMEN-AT-LARGE, N. M. EDWARDS, of Lycoming Co. HENRY E. GRIMM, of Bucks Co.

Democratic Candidates.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE. WILLIAM T. CREASY, (South Side) of Catawissa Twp.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, (South Side) C. Z. SCHLICHER, of Beaver Twp.

FOR SHERIFF. DANIEL KNORR, of Locust Twp.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, (North Side) GEORGE W. STERNER, of Hemlock Twp.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, R. G. F. KSHINKA, (North Side) of Briarcreek Twp.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE. FRED. IKELER, (North Side) of Bloomsburg.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, A. P. YOUNG, of Greenwood Twp.

The latest pension scheme said to be backed by the Grand Army is to abolish the pension officials and the Mr. McKinley induced Senators Aldsoldier's homes and pay every old rich and Beveridge, both Quay men, soldier a uniform pension of \$1 a day during life. It is claimed that such a plan while greatly to the benefit of the soldiers, would effect a large saving to the government treasury.

nue stamp duty taken off their pro- tunity to strike. ducts. The bankers are moving to having it taken off of checks, the lawyers think it ought to be taken off legal documents and the insurance people off of policies. The only classes who don't seem to care a continental about it are the telegraph and express companies, and they hustled around and bought up the federal courts and saddled their share of the war tax on their patrons, so they can afford to be indifferent about it.

Our Growth In Population.

We Have as Many People as Live in Great Britain and France Combined.

There were but 5,300,000 people in America when this century opened. France had five times as many people; Germany, and even Austria, had four times America's population; Italy had lieves that he will be nominated. three times as many, and so had Great Britain. Even Spain had double our number of people, and little Portugal was almost our rival in numbers. We have more people now than any European nation except Russia, which alone leads us. We have as many people as live in all Great Britain and France combined. We have one-half more people than Germany. We have, practically, 75,000,-000 people in the United States, and 10,000,000 more in our new possess ions .- May Ladies' Home Journal.

The Richest Woman's Story-

How Hetty Green, the famous finbeing the richest woman in America, has made and kept her millions will be told for the first time in the June Ladies' Home Journal. In view of Mrs. Green's vast weelth, so great that she herself cannot exactly compute it, the story of her home life will also be especially interesting, by reason of its extreme simplicity. In the article and sold railroads and towns, and how she has compelled political managers to do her bidding-showing the enormous power of money in these but surely pushing a scheme to loot ended. We have only six more test golden days. Her daily life, too, is the United States Treasury by means under the present contract. These interesting, for early and late she is at of contracts with the Post Office De. will go to the first six people who her task of watching her wealth and partment for pneumatic tube service comply with the terms, namely, old eagerly adding to it, being a stranger in the large cities were given a hard subscribers who pay all arrearages to to almost any other recreation. Sev- throw down this week when the House date, and a year in advance from now; eral pictures of the woman with mil- by a vote of 87 to 50 struck out that and new subscribers who pay a year Con. Second and Inon STs. lions, made expressly for the article, portion of the Post Office appropria- in advance. If you want it, don't will give it additional interest.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, April 30, 1900. There is little doubt of the liability of Mr. McKinley and Secretary Root to impeachment for their open violation of law in paying two salaries to favored army officers in Cuba, and they would be likely to get it if Congress had a democratic majority. Secretary Root's answer to the Senate Resolution asking for information is a pettifoggying document from start to finish. It tells only a part of the truth, which is often much worse than telling a lie, but even then it contains a practical acknowledgement of violation of law by the executive branch of the government, in the citation of acts of Congress in 1849 and 1853 authorizing extra compensation for army officers who perforomed civil duties in Mexico and California. This Congress would have done the same for officers in Cuba, had the necessity for such action been brought to its attention by the War Department; but that does not excuse the violation of law on the part of the President and the Secretary of War. In citing acts of Congress as a precedent Mr. Root shows that he knows that Congress alone has the authority which the executive branch of the government has in this case usurped. And that isn't the only ugly thing about Mr. Root's answer. His argument that the regular allowance of an annual sum from the Cuban revenues does not constitute a second salary for the officers named is farcical, but his failure to name all the officers who are known

to have had an "allowance" is worse.

It is too much to expect anything ap-

proaching a thorough investigation of

War Department expenditures in

Cuba, from a Republican Congress,

but steps will be taken by others to

get at the truth and make it known to

the people of the country.

Mr. McKinley is unquestionably the man who engineered the plans which resulted in the refusal of the Senate by a vote of 33 to 32 to seat Mr. Quay. Mr. McKinley has had it in for Quay for just about four years and has been patiently awaiting a chance to get even. In order to fiscal year. That action was brought throw Quay and his friends off the about by the public statement of Repscent, Boss Hanna allowed himself to be counted as a Quay man until the day of the vote, when it was announced that he was paired against Quay. It would be interesting to know how to absent themselves without pairs. Their votes would have seated Quay. Mr. McKinley may, however, find his triumph a dearly bought one, as Mat Quay is about as relentless an enemy as any politician could possibly have The drug people want the reve- following his trail awaiting an oppor-

> Admiral Dewey will not make a statement of his attitude toward important public questions, unless he as the Coal and Iron police suspect Kansas City convention to nominate him for President solely on his record. That shows how guileless, in a political way, the dear old boy is. Think of the absurdity of a great party nominating a man for President without knowing he stood upon a single one of the great issues upon which the campaign will be fought. Only a man at Lansford. A subsequent search of like Dewey could think such a thing possible. Notwithstanding the public brought to light articles stolen from declaration of almost every prominent the Pennsylvania station at St. Clair. democrat in the country that Col. Bryan's nomination was a certainty, and the failure of a single democratic fact that the Lehigh Valley station at state leader to advocate the nomination of Dewey, the Admiral still be-

committee of the House which has mitted the series of robberies of railcharge of the bill to a delegation in favor of the bill appropriating \$5,000,ooo towards the holding of a World's evidence enough against them to con-Fair at St. Louis in 1903 to celebrate the centennial of the Louisiana Purchase. The delegation included governors of the States within the Louisiana Purchase and a number of prominent citizens of St. Louis.

Ex-Representative Lewis, of Washington, sized up the political situation out his way thusly: "Col. Bryan will ancier, who enjoys the distinction of receive the unanimous vote of the delegation for the state of Washington, at Kansas City, and I am con- The men were drafting coal from the fident he will get the electoral votes of the State. My belief that he will carry the state, in spite of the existing them under tons of coal. A number strong sentiment for expansion, is of slate pickers were caught in the based on stronger sentiment in opposition to trusts and the faith the people bie to the top before being suffocated. We have the Largest Stock of have in bimetallism. I believe the Mrs. Green tells how she has bought same thing will apply to all the Pacinc states, except Oregon.

tion carrying \$725,000 to pay for ex- wait another day.

Many a school-

girl is said to be lazy and shiftless when she doesn't deserve She can't study, easily falls asleep, is nervous and tired all the time. And what can you expect? Her brain is being fed with impure blood and her whole system is Suffering from poisoning.
Such girls are wonder-

changed, by taking

fully helped and greatly

of schoolgirls have taken it during the past 50 years. Many of these girls now have homes of their own. They remember what cured them, and now they give the same medicine to their own children. You can afford to trust a Sarsaparilla that has been

isting pneumatic tube service and to extend the same during the coming resentative Moody, of Mass., that these men had been bribing and trying to bribe members of Congress with stock in their company, which existed solely for what it could get through Congressional legislation.

Suspected of Many Orimes-

The Two Gallaghers May Have To Answer In Three Courts.

If Frank and John Gallagher, the two young men arrested at New Phil- lifically since there is no one to adelphia last week by Coal and Iron shake it. Policemen Walters and committed to jail at Mauch Chunk on a charge of breaking into and robbing the Jersey Central station at Lansford, are as bad changes his mind, but will ask the them to be, they are not likely to enjoy their liberty again until they cultivate the acquaintance of the officials of Carbon, Columbia and Schuylkill county prisons.

When the young men were taken into custody they had in their possession, and were offering for sale, goods stolen from the Jersey Central station their clothing is also said to have The fact that they hail from Centralia, or claim to reside there, suggests the that place was recently robbed also, and the officers think they know something about it.

The belief now is that they are part A hearing was granted by the select of a gang of burglars who have comway stations throughout the region recently and they hope to collect vict them here and in Columbia county, after Carbon gets through with them .- Ashland Advocate.

Terrible Accident at Plymouth Mine.

A frightful accident occurred at Plymouth Monday afternoon at No. 3 breaker, of the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company, in which John Burnett, aged 60 years, was suffocated, and Andrew Conrad, John Meloditz and Richard Corcoran badly squeezed. pockets beneath the breaker, when the whole structure gave way, burying rush, but they all managed to scram-

Last Chance.

The last chance to get the Farm The men who have been slowly Journal for nearly five years is nearly

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READY TO WEAR,

Made to Your Measure,

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All the latest novelties for spring wear, in hats, caps, shirts, underwear and neckwear, can always be found at

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Ministers Are Well Treated-

Congregations as a Rule Are Charitable. Patient, Appreciative and Responsive.

"No man has more reason to be grateful to his public than a minister, for I know no servant who is more kindly treated," writes Ian Maclaren of "Is the Minister an Idler?" in the May Ladies' Home Journal. "While there are no doubt, in so large a body as the Christian Church, censorious hearers and ill-mannered congregations, just as there are lazy and cantankerous ministers, yet the average congregation is charitable in its judgment of its minister, patient under his failings, keenly appreciative of any good work he does, and most responsive to all his good offices. There are not many substantial complaints which a sane-minded and good-tempered minister can bring against the average congregation, but he has sometimes a grudge against his friends which he does not express, but which often rankles in his heart. It is not anything they say nor anything they he has not enough work to do, or that he has a considerable quantity of time at his disposal."

The plum tree will now bear pro-

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