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THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1900.

Democratic Candidates.

- FOR SHERIFF, O. B. YOCUM, of Cleveland Twp. FOR REPRESENTATIVE, WILLIAM T. CREASY, (South Side) of Catawissa Twp.

The National Convention of the Middle-of-the-road Populists is in session at Cincinnati.

Dr John H. Girdner of New York is named as a possible candidate for Vice President on the Democratic ticket with Bryan.

Rev. Dr. Fishburn, a Presbyterian minister of Camden, N. J., has requested the ladies of his congregation to remove their hats in church, as they obstruct the view of persons sitting back of them.

Congressman Rufus K. Polk delivered an able speech in Congress on May 1st, on the subject of building the Nicaragua Canal. It fills nearly four pages of the Congressional Record, and is full of valuable statistics. He is in favor of the bill.

William C. Endicott died at his home in Boston on Sunday, from pneumonia following an attack of grip. He was Secretary of War during President Cleveland's first term. His wife was a daughter of George Peabody, the philanthropist, and his daughter is the wife of Joseph Chamberlain, the English Secretary of State for the colonies.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the announcement of Obediah B. Yocum, of Cleveland township, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff. Mr. Yocum needs no introduction to the voters of Columbia county. He is a farmer of the thrifty type, fully up to the requirements of the office for which he is aspiring, and if elected, will make a good official.

WHAT A PROMINENT AGRICULTURIST SAYS:

To the citizens of Columbia county: It the farmers and industrial people of our Commonwealth desire to have a voice in the next Legislature upon the important subject of revising the tax laws so as to relieve the home owners from unjust discriminations, they must act now, as those who have profited by the discrimination are already in the field to dominate the political conventions in the selection of men favorable to their interests.

The farmers and real estate owners of our Commonwealth earnestly desire that the citizens of Columbia county return to the Legislature that able and earnest indefatigable worker for the agricultural and industrial interests, the Hon. W. T. Creasy.

If we expect to succeed in having the tax laws of our state fairly revised, we must send to the Legislature the men whom we know will stand by the rights of the people.

Mr. Creasy having served several terms in the Legislature eminently qualifies him for a legislator, and will place him where he can render the most eminent service in the interests of the home owners of our Commonwealth.

LEONARD RHONE, Late Master of Pa. Grange, Centre Hall, Pa.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent. Washington, May 7, 1900.

Does the administration really favor the Nicaragua Canal? In view of the known condition of public sentiment, that question may sound odd, but there were things said in the debate which preceded the passing of the Nicaragua Canal bill by the House which made it pertinent.

Capt. Chadwick has found out that the protection extended to Rear Admiral Sampson by the administration does not include all of Sampson's friends. Secretary Long's letter reprimanding Chadwick—the second time within a year for the same offense—published this week, for slurring at Rear Admiral Schley, was about as stinging a document as was ever sent by a Secretary of the Navy to an officer; but the universal verdict is that Chadwick got no more than he deserved.

Senator Sewell, of N. J., has more nerve than most of the republican Senators on the trust question. His republican colleagues work for the trusts on the quiet, but he had the audacity to say in a speech on the floor of the Senate that the Standard Oil trust and the Sugar trust were public benefactors. A few more benefactors like them and there will be no more trusts.

From every direction comes the strongest evidence that the republicans have a hard fight before them. Nobody realizes this any better than Boss Hanna, and he is frank enough to say so. That there is a general revolt against the policies and practices of the McKinley administration, is certain, although its strength is as yet uncertain. Mr. H. J. Jackson, a business man of Fall River Mass., has been showing his Washington friends a letter written him by a prominent citizen of Massachusetts, from which the following is quoted: "From this distance it looks as though the game of national politics is going to be a hard one for President McKinley to play this year."

The United States Supreme Court after spending two days hearing arguments in the Kentucky case, took a recess until May 14, when the decision will probably be made public.

Teachers' Examinations.

Conyngham and Centralia, at Centralia, Tuesday, June 5; Hemlock, Scott and Mt. Pleasant, at Bloomsburg, Thursday, June 7; Catawissa township, Franklin and Montour, at Catawissa, Saturday, June 9; Fishingcreek, Orange and Centre, at Orangeville, Tuesday, June 12; Briarcreek and Berwick, at Berwick, Thursday, June 14; Sugarloaf, Jackson and Benton, at Benton, Saturday, June 16; Madison, Pine and Greenwood, at Millville, Tuesday, July 17; Roaringcreek and Locust, at Numidia, Thursday, July 19; Beaver, Main and Mifflin, at Mifflinville, Saturday, July 21.

Applicants who fail will not be re-examined within the year.

Stamped envelopes should be left with the Superintendent for the purpose of mailing certificates.

Directors and patrons requested to be present. Begin at 8:45 o'clock.

JOHN K. MILLER, County Supt.

INDIGESTION

If you have it, you know it. You know all about the heavy feeling in the stomach, the formation of gas, the nausea, sick headache, and general weakness of the whole body.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

There's nothing new about it. Your grandparents took it. 'Twas an old Sarsaparilla before other sarsaparillas were known. It made the word "Sarsaparilla" famous over the whole world.

There's no other sarsaparilla like it. In age and power to cure it's "The leader of them all."

Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

WEAVER'S GREAT HORSE SALE.



HOTEL ENT, BLOOMSBURG, PA., WEDNESDAY, MAY 23rd, 1900.

This carload consists of speedy pacers and trotters, Farm, Draft and General Purpose Horses. Several family drivers. Sale positive. 60 days credit or 1 per cent. off for cash.

Off to the Wooded Hills.

Several weeks since the Philadelphia Sunday Times presented its readers with a magnificent lithograph, in 12 colors, by Le Roy. The demand for the issue exceeded the supply by many thousand copies. The Times has secured another painting—a companion piece to the first—by the same artist, entitled "A Blooming Clematis," which is now being lithographed in 12 colors, and which will be given away free with the Great Outing Number of the Times, Sunday, May 13.

Sheet music is issued regularly with the Sunday Times. On May 13 "Tripping O'er the Hills," by W. S. Milton, regulation sheet music, with beautifully colored title page, will be given free in connection with the handsome lithograph. Place your order early and you get An Exquisite Picture. Sheet Music. A Magazine Section. A Forum Section. An Amusement Section. A Great Newspaper. All for 5 cents with the Outing Number of the Sunday Times.

Farm For Sale.

A good farm in Mt. Pleasant township, containing 109 acres, about 30 acres of it timber land. Good buildings, good water, only three miles from Bloomsburg. Terms easy. Inquire of H. A. McKillip, Bloomsburg, Pa. 5-10 41.

The A. M. E. Church of Bloomsburg is so out of repair that it will take two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) to put the same in repair and as we are very poor and few in numbers we do sincerely hope that the generous public will help us all they can. Pastor, Rev. Daniel Newsom, Glasco Cameron, Mrs. Amanda Dennis, and Mrs. Glasco Cameron are duly authorized agents to solicit money and donations for repairs.

DANIEL NEWSOME, Pastor. GLASCO CAMERON. AMANDA DENNIS. HENRY STUCKEY.

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE! —FOR— STYLISH GARMENTS, READY TO WEAR, —OR— Made to Your Measure, —GO TO— TOWNSEND'S. All the latest novelties for spring wear, in hats, caps, shirts, underwear and neckwear, can always be found at Townsend's Star Clothing House.

A Statement From the Century Club.

The result of the efforts of the Century Club, for the benefit of the Public Library Fund, on April 17th, is given in detail below. It may interest the public to know that two thousand stockings were sent out in town. The following verse and poem were received with stockings:

"I find your stockings quite too small, So I return it, garter and all. The fact is, I would have been exceedingly tall.

"Your library scheme Comes back like a dream, But where I had heard The magical word, I declare I can't tell.

But Franklin once said, 'Take care of the pence, And as for the pounds, Let them look to themselves,' And the saying is well. So here goes to the pence, You look to the pounds, And your library scheme May not end as a dream, And all may be well."

AMOUNT RECEIVED: Ice cream and cake..... \$20 55 Fancy articles..... 30 85 339 stockings..... 67 15

The balance of \$103.15 has been paid to Mrs. Carlton A. Caswell, Gen'l Treas. Public Library Fund. SARAH E. L. VAN TASSEL, Treas. Century Club.

Last Chance.

The last chance to get the Farm Journal for nearly five years is nearly ended. We have only six more left under the present contract. These will go to the first six people who comply with the terms, namely, old subscribers who pay all arrearages to date, and a year in advance from now; and new subscribers who pay a year in advance. If you want it, don't wait another day.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Bils, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

HOTEL ENT, (FORMERLY CENTRAL HOTEL), BLOOMSBURG, PA.

New sample rooms, large and convenient. Recently papered, painted and re-furnished. Everything up to date. Excellent facilities for travelling men. Good stabling. 53 C. B. ENT, Proprietor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF OLIVER E. MUTHILLER, LATE OF SHAMOKIN TWP., NORTH CO., PA., DECD. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Oliver E. Muthiller, late of Shamokin Twp., North Co., Pa., 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

Shoes!

Do You Know We have the Largest Stock of Shoes in the County?

You will make a mistake if you fail to see our lines before doing your shoe buying.

W. H. Moore, COR. SECOND AND IRON STS. Bloomsburg, Pa.

Prove This Store By its Printed Promises.

That is what might be called taking high grounds, but it's safe ground. It wins business friendship, and business friendship is what we are after. When a community swears by a store, and that store strains every effort to sustain the good opinion of its public, there is bound to be a firm business friendship between them. Again we say prove this store by its printed promises.

Wash Waist Promises.

We promise you some excellent values in excellent waists. They are Munson's waists, and you know, if you have ever tried them, that they fit, and are made as nice as you can make them yourself. White and colors. Price, 98c to \$2 75.

Dainty Under-Muslins.

The ready to wear is the wanted nowadays. These, with no sewing worry, are just as you would order or have them made at home, at two-thirds the cost. We have opened a new lot again this week. We have never offered better value. Skirts, from 50c to \$5 00 Night Robes " 50c to 5 00 Drawers, " 19c to 2 75

Sound Values In Stylish Wash Stuffs.

The full bloom of summer is right here in this wash goods section. Summer sewing may be best done now. This showing should prompt you to an early purchase. 10c lawns at 8c. The best value at 15c you can find. The quality at 28c and styles are the best we have ever shown.

If you want flour, get a sack of our Lily Patent, at 90c for 50 pounds. It is the best you can get.

F. P. PURSEL.

Our New Spring Values.

We have just received, for the spring trade, the very latest styles in Dress Goods, Waist Silks, Trimmings, Ribbons, Laces. In fact, all the latest style Dress Goods and Fancy Notions in the market.

LADIES' SPRING SUITS.—Ladies' and Misses' Spring Jackets. Latest styles, right prices.

SHOES! SHOES!—Great values, nobby styles, small prices. Our sales on shoes still increase. We are up to date at all times in this department.

SHIRT WAISTS AND SEPARATE SKIRTS.—It will pay you to see the styles and learn prices.

LADIES' WRAPPERS.—We keep a complete line. Have you seen our great sewing machine? We are handling one of the best on the market. Up to date in every respect and price lowest. If you expect to buy, it will pay you to see our make of machine and learn our prices.

IN OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT.—We are at the front in fine groceries, fancy Chinaware. In dinner and chamber sets our sales are increasing every day.

You will find it will always pay to trade with us. Our aim has ever been to give you latest styles and best prices.

Bloomsburg Store Co., Limited. Corner Main and Centre. ALFRED MCHENRY, Mgr.