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THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1900.

A quarrel between the President Judge and a well known member of the Lycoming county Bar created considerable excitement among the legal profession of Williamsport Friday afternoon.

AN EXCELLENT PAIR.

The people of all portions of Pennsylvania will rejoice because the Democrats of Columbia County have renominated "Farmer" Creasy for Representative in the Legislature, for the nomination is equivalent to an election.

One of the most hopeful signs of the times is the high character of the men who are being nominated for the legislature throughout the state.

The Hon. Wm. T. Creasy and Fred. T. Ikeler, Esq., will adorn a legislature thus improved in the character of its membership.

Resolutions Adopted by Pomona Grange.

At a meeting held by Pomona Grange, No. 5, of Columbia and lower Luzerne Counties, on June 8th, 1900, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, the reports of the U. S. Revenue Department shows that there were nearly 12,000,000 pounds of oleo sold in our state and in the state of New York with a greater population there were only 220,000 pounds sold, and

WHEREAS, the proved complicity of state officials with violators of the laws passed to prevent injury and fraud, financial and physical to the people, merits the severest censure, and

WHEREAS, it seems to us that these violations of the oleo law could not have been carried on without the knowledge of the Secretary of Agriculture, and further colored oleo is still being sold. Therefore be it

Resolved, that we demand the resignation of the Secretary of Agriculture, John Hamilton, with all the officials who have been guilty of negligence in the enforcement of the pure food laws.

Resolved, Further, that we extend the thanks of Pomona Grange, No. 5, to the Philadelphia North American for its great work in exposing these frauds and also the other papers that have so nobly assisted in the work with the North American.

Committee on resolutions, WILLIAM T. CREASY, E. H. SLOAN, A. P. YOUNG, WM. MENSCH, Secretary.

The love that is dumb until it speaks on a tombstone is not worth much. Show some of it before it goes on cold marble.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, June 15, 1900.

The republican pretense that there is uncertainty about who will fill the second place on the McKinley ticket is amusing. Boss Hanna and Mr. McKinley have long ago selected the man, but the secret has been well kept, as they wish the delegates to the convention to be deluded into the belief that the nomination is theirs.

RELIEF FOR PEKING

International Expedition Reported at Chinese Capital.

Safety of Foreign Legations Said to Be Assured.

No Details of the Situation Yet at Hand—More Hopeful Feeling Prevails.

LONDON, June 20.—The news from Shanghai today is regarded in official circles as distinctly cheering. After the grim reports current early this morning a dispatch announcing the arrival of the relief expedition commanded by Admiral Seymour at Peking and the safety of the legations, which later was confirmed by a dispatch from Shanghai, published in the second edition of the London Times, announcing the authority of Pao-shan Sheng that Admiral Seymour's force arrived at the Chinese capital on June 17, presages, it is hoped, a general brightening of the situation.

The Shanghai correspondent of The Daily Express says he is officially informed that Japan is mobilizing 25,000 men for immediate transport.

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The new Chinese cruiser Hai-yang, built by the Armstrongs, has been taken into custody at Taku by the British and Russians.

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Intentions of Russia.

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"To Err is Human."

But to err all the time is criminal or idiotic. Don't continue the mistake of neglecting your blood. When impurities manifest themselves in eruptions or when disordered conditions of stomach, kidneys, liver or bowels appear, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will make pure, live blood, and put you in good health.



business and turn the job of fighting the republicans over to somebody else."

The republicans are so much alarmed over the outlook for the Congressional elections that they will maintain campaign committee headquarters in both Washington and Chicago.

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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.



LAWTON'S LAST DAY.

The One Spent with His Wife—She Would Go Anywhere with Him.

"I called on Gen. and Mrs. Lawton," says a correspondent of Collier's Weekly, "the last afternoon they were together. She was sitting near his desk at the division headquarters, while he was looking over the typewriter's copy of his orders for the expedition, which he had written with a pencil on a pad in his full, round hand."

"I had brought him a photograph of himself which was taken last spring. Anything about the general interested Mrs. Lawton at once. She scrutinized the likeness carefully from many points of view, and concluded that it was very good. Since it was taken, however, the general had grown a full beard."

"I shall have to make another on that account," I suggested. "But, as she looked first at the picture and then at the general, she seemed dubious about this."

"I don't know as I am going to let him keep the beard," she explained. "It does very well for the present, for he has so little chance to shave when he is at the front."

"Would you go with him to a post hop in the states if he were it?" I asked her, jokingly. "Oh, I would go with him anywhere!" she replied earnestly.

A "Graun" Invention.

A Scottish paper tells us an anecdote in connection with the new electric-system just opened in Aberdeen. Two farm servants came to Aberdeen to spend New Year's day. Arriving by train they immediately made their way to the terminus of the electric tramway circuit, where, after looking at the new creation with much wonder they decided upon having a ride. Getting on the top of the car and after getting well along George street, "Well," said man Jock, "this is a graun' invention. In Edinburgh I saw them drive the cars w' an iron rape aneth street, in Dundee the pu' them w' an engine, but, mighty man, wha wad a' thought they could ca' them w' a fishing rod!"

Her Stern Resolve.

He—Forgive and forget, Miss Bunk. She—'I'll forget you, sir, easy enough, but I'll never forgive you.—Chicago Record.

CONSUMPTION

never stops because the weather is warm. Then why stop taking SCOTT'S EMULSION simply because it's summer? Keep taking it. It will heal your lungs, and make them strong for another winter.

50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

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.

Special Offer for June.

It is the policy of this store to reduce the stock at this time of the year. We consider the time for profits on this season's merchandise as passed. Even cost will not stand in the way where lots are large and it is deemed advisable to move them quickly.

WOOL DRESS GOODS.

You will need them for separate skirts during the warm weather. 35c all wool suitings, reduced to 19c. 50c novelty dress goods, reduced to 33c. 90c fine all wool dress goods, reduced to 58c. 50c all wool plaids, reduced to 29c.

SUMMER DRESS GOODS.

This is a chance to make yourself comfortable through the warm weather. Our 8 and 10c lawns and dimities reduced to 6 1/2c. 15 and 16c lawns reduced to 12 1/2c. 10c ginghams reduced to 7c. 36 in. Madras ginghams, that sold from 15 to 22c, reduced to 12 1/2c. A lot of fine imported organdies, 25c quality, reduced to 11c.

MUSLIN.

A lot of unbleached muslins, in remnants, is why we sell them at 6c a yard. It is the same grade as Appleton A muslin—just as good.

Wheat has advanced, but we still sell our Lily Patent at 90c for 50 lbs.

These hose we have never sold for less than 12 1/2c. Will go for the next 10 days at 10c.

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.

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