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SALES. SATURDAY, SEPT. 8, 1900.—A. W. Duy, Atty., will sell at public sale, on the premises, corner Sixth and Catharine Sts., valuable real estate, consisting of a house and two lots. Sale to commence at 2 p.m.

Henry Frane, an old resident of Espy, died on Tuesday after a lingering illness of many months.

After an illness extending over a period of four weeks, Mrs. William Burgess died at the Indian Industrial school, Carlisle, on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Burgess were the founders of Greenwood Seminary. The remains were taken to Millville, where interment was made on Sunday. The deceased was sixty five years of age.

Many cars loaded with grapes are now passing over the Pennsylvania railroad from the south. In the midsummer season the grapes come up from the sunny south and in the fall of the year they come down in immense quantities from the Lake Erie grape belt. It is reported that the indications point to a tremendous crop of grapes in the lake belt this year. Watermelon, canteloupe and peach shipments are very heavy just now, much fine fruit going to northern and western points.

A jovial, good natured lot of young men, connected with the Young Men's Christian Association at Shamokin, journeyed to town on Monday for the expressed purpose of lowering the colors of the local Y. M. C. A. boys at base ball. The visiting twirler had all sorts of fancy twisters up his sleeve, and he dished up a variety that our boys could not connect with and as must naturally follow, we were vanquished to the tune of 9 to 1. This was the first attempt for the locals, and they were unfamiliar with the finer points of the game. They need practice, need it bad, and must have it, if they want to make any kind of a showing on the diamond.

A well-known doctor was commenting upon what has become known as the shirt-waist fad. "Now that the shirt-waist man has become an assured fact," he said, "I suppose the next innovation, prompted by newspaper publicity, will be the bare-headed man. Really, I am not jesting. Just as soon as the weather becomes cooler it would be a wise thing to exploit and encourage the bare-headed man. Of course, it wouldn't do for a man to go without any covering for his head in this kind of weather, being unused to it, he would probably suffer from sunstroke or heat prostration. Men wear their hats too much. If they wore them less there would be less headache and nervous exhaustion, and far fewer bald heads. There's the point to emphasize. A man cares less about headache than he does about his hair falling out. Advocate the bare-headed man on the plea of saving his hair, and he will become even more popular than the shirt-waist man. This is really a sensible suggestion."

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MINUS \$25. Louis Angle, or at least that is what he called himself, who, judging from his looks, had scarcely reached the age of discretion, appeared in town on Friday, having in his possession a horse. He recited what would ordinarily pass as a plausible story, and offered the animal for sale. Frank Derr, who conducts a livery stable in the rear of Hotel Ent, took a liking to the horse and as the price seemed low concluded to buy it. The deal was consummated and everything appeared all right until Monday, when a Mr. Killey, a liveryman from Scranton came to town and demanded the horse, which, he claimed, had been hired and never returned. Of course, he took it and now Frank is minus the \$25. Angle was apprehended on Tuesday morning, taken to Scranton, and placed in jail. The young man said that his home was in Muncy. Another verification of the truthfulness of the saying, "it is always best to know who you are dealing with."

Improvements on the Pennsylvania. The extensive repairs, which have been in progress on the Pennsylvania Railroad, below Danville, during the past few months, have all been completed, and gives the road a double track from Riverside to a point below Kipp's Run. These improvements, however, are not the extent of what the company intend making in this vicinity. A local citizen, while in Harrisburg, recently visited the office of a prominent official of the road. In conversation with an attache of the office this gentleman learned that the construction of a road along the canal bank, from Danville to Berwick, which has been much discussed, is improbable, although a switch may be run across the river to Danville. The intention of the company, according to this office attache, is to cut away a portion of the Blue Hill, just above South Danville, and to construct another track. The work will likely commence this fall.—Sunbury Daily.

Trustee Meeting. The Incorporated Trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the diocese of Central Pennsylvania held a meeting in Bloomsburg on Wednesday. This board holds title to church property in the Diocese, and has charge of certain trust funds. The members are: Col. John G. Freeze, Chancellor; S. L. Brown, Wilkes-Barre; W. R. Butler, Mauch Chunk; B. F. Meyers, Harrisburg; Guy Farquhar, Pottsville; Col. W. F. Reynolds, Bellefonte; who were present. The members of the board who were not present are: Bishop Talbot who is in Europe, and William H. Sayre, of South Bethlehem. Among other business the board declined to accept the executorship of the will of the late Miss Mary K. Snyder, of Selingsgrove, because of lack of power in their charter.

Popular Music Press. Another Novelty Offered by the Great Philadelphia "Sunday Press." Every reader of the great Philadelphia "Sunday Press" next Sunday (September 9) will receive free a piece of sheet music which cannot be purchased at any music store for less than 50 cents. It is entitled "At an Ole Virginia Wedding," and is certain to become one of the most popular selections of the year. The only way to get it is with next Sunday's Philadelphia "Press," and you should order a copy from your newsdealer at once.

Second-Hand Wheels. At Mercer's Drug and Book Store, getting very scarce. We now have left the following only: One ladies', in good condition, at \$12.00; one Alton, new this year, \$40.00 list price, that can be bought for \$25.00. This wheel has not been run 60 miles. One Crescent tandem for \$30.00. This we regard as the best bargain we have been able to offer this year in tandems. If you want a new wheel, it will pay you to get our prices, as we will promise you a real bargain.

Buckhorn Festival. A festival will be held at Buckhorn, next Saturday evening, September 8, at the School House, for the benefit of the Buckhorn Cornet Band. A chicken and waffle supper will be served in addition to other refreshments. Supper 15 and 25 cents. The Bloomsburg Band will furnish music for the occasion. Everybody invited.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office Sept. 18, 1900. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised Sept. 4, 1900": Mr. Sam Clark, Rev. J. W. Crawford, Mr. A. G. Chriswell, Mr. Perry Evans (2), Mr. E. McConville, Rev. George A. Paull, Mist Greco Santo, Miss Pearl Weiss. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised. O. B. MELICK, P. M.

UNDER A COMMISSION

Filipinos Do Not Seem to Appreciate the New Regime. MAJORITY OF ISLANDERS WANT PEACE. Insurgents Exercise a Reign of Terror and Hinders Work of the Peace Commissioners—Many Islands Now Tranquil.

MANILA, Sept. 3.—The Filipinos seem incapable of realizing the scope and purpose of the legislative functions of the commission of peace. There is no possibility of separating the legislative from the executive branches of the government, and therefore the commission's announcement of its assumption of power Sept. 1 has met with childish comments at the hands of the Spaniards and foreigners, who jealously sneer at the new arrangement, as they are apt to do at every beneficial innovation on the part of the United States authorities.

The commission enters upon the governmental field under the following conditions: A majority of the islanders desire peace and the resumption of business under the Americans, but they are so cowed by a long series of murderous atrocities and destruction of property by their armed countrymen that they dare not actively show their feelings, especially because experience has taught them what such an expression of sentiment will bring upon them from the mercilessly revengeful rebels. A genuine reign of terror is exercised by insurgents and ladrones over peaceful countryfolk in order to collect the revenue and recruits their operations require, and widespread vengeance is wreaked in the vicinity of garrisoned towns.

In northern Luzon the status quo is fairly well maintained, and the people in that quarter are quiet and engaged in planting, except in the provinces of Nueva Ecija and Bulacan, where there has been a recent outbreak of rebel and ladron activity. But in southern Luzon conditions are far from satisfactory. Life there is not safe outside the garrisoned towns. Travelers are subject to ambush by guerrillas. Rarely does a day pass without an encounter between the United States troops and the insurgents or ladrones, resulting in casualties. There are 18,000 troops in that district. General Bates commanding, and in three regiments over a third of the men are sick. The activity of the enemy increased last month. There is evidence that the insurgents have come into possession of new rifles and that they wish to annihilate some small American garrison for the sake of the political effect in the United States.

Conditions in the Visayas continue virtually unchanged. The lack of troops in Samar prevents aggression. Negros, Romblon, Masbate, Sibuyan, Tablas and Bohol are tranquil, all desiring civil governments. Mindanao is also tranquil, excepting the districts of Tausug and Surigao, where occasional encounters with the Filipinos occur. The enemy's fighting force there is limited, but it has a number of rifles. The surrenders, although they have noticeably decreased since May, continue. Twelve Americans, including two captains and two lieutenants, have been killed during the past two weeks. The official reports of the encounters in which these casualties occurred are meager.

Across English Channel in Balloon. PARIS, Sept. 4.—Jacques Faure, treasurer of the Aero club, successfully crossed the channel in a balloon. He left the Crystal Palace, London, at 8 o'clock Saturday night and arrived at Alette Quas de Calais at 3 o'clock Sunday morning. The crossing of the channel occupied four hours. During this time the aeronaut kept his balloon at a height of 700 meters.

HAIR HELP. So many persons have hair that is stubborn and dull. It won't grow. What's the reason? Hair needs help just as anything else does at times. The roots require feeding. When hair stops growing it loses its luster. It looks dead. AYER'S HAIR VIGOR acts almost instantly on such hair. It awakens new life in the hair bulbs. The effect is astonishing. Your hair grows, becomes thicker, and all dandruff is removed. And the original color of early life is restored to faded or gray hair. This is always the case. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. "I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor, and am really astonished at the good it has done in restoring my hair from coming out. It is the best tonic I have tried, and I shall continue to recommend it to my friends." MATTIE HOLT, Burlington, N. C. Sept. 24, 1898. If you do not obtain all the benefits you expect from the use of the Hair Vigor, write the Doctor about it. DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

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ROOSEVELT AND BRYAN. Chicago Workmen Listen to the Candidates. CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—The feature of the day here was a big demonstration held by the labor organizations, including a parade and a picnic. Governor Roosevelt and William J. Bryan reviewed the parade from the same stand and later made speeches to a great crowd at the picnic grounds. Arriving at nearly the same time Sunday, spending the night in two wings of the same hotel, reviewing a great Labor day procession from the same balcony, having lunch together at noon and speaking from the same rostrum to the same crowd in the afternoon, the two candidates completed a day unusual in American politics. Thirty-five thousand representatives of Chicago's trades unions marched yesterday morning in celebrating the labor holiday. Representatives of 162 unions were in line, and the parade was the largest ever seen on Labor day in Chicago. Scattered through the line were many floats representing particular trades. Shortly before 1:30 o'clock the speakers' party arrived at Electric park. In it were Roosevelt, Bryan, Samuel Alschuler, Richard Yates, Senator Mason, Carter H. Harrison, Charles A. Towne, Mayor Rose of Milwaukee, John Finerty, P. H. O'Donnell and R. M. Patterson, all of whom were billed to make addresses. Governor Roosevelt, who wished to catch the 5:30 o'clock train for the east, opened the speechmaking promptly by assembling here to listen to a political speech. He was followed by Bryan at 4 o'clock, and others spoke in the afternoon and in the evening. Bryan left this city at 8 o'clock last night on his eastern speaking tour.

WAR'S END NEAR. It Is Thought Kruger and Steyn Are Preparing to Flee. PRETORIA, Sept. 3.—Mr. Kruger and Mr. Steyn have gone to Barberton. It is believed that they are preparing for flight. The general opinion is that the war is now very near the end, but should the Boers construct strongholds in the bush, on the veldt or elsewhere and begin a system of raids the British would require further large supplies of horses. General Buller moved 14 miles north-westward along the Lydenburg road and crossed the Crocodile river to Badfontein. He found the Boers concentrating in the Crocodile mountains. A force of Boers under Commandant Thern broke through the British lines and captured and burned a supply train at Klip River Station, taking 35 prisoners. Brabant's horse proceeded thither, recaptured all the prisoners and drove the Boers into the hills. Colonel Plumer dispersed a small command under Commandant Pretorius east of Pinaar's river, capturing 26 Boers, a number of wagons and a quantity of cattle and rifles.

NEW G. A. R. OFFICERS. Major Russeau For Commander in Chief—Denver in 1901. CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—With the selection of officers and the choice of Denver for the national encampment of 1901 the thirty-fourth national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic practically came to a close yesterday. The programme as mapped out by the reception committee includes two days more before the veterans are supposed to return to their homes. Nothing in the way of business remains to be transacted, the next two days being occupied entirely in excursions, patriotic concerts in the parks and other affairs of a social character. Following are the officers chosen: Commander in chief, Leo Russeau, St. Louis; senior vice commander, E. C. Milliken, Portland, Me.; junior vice commander, Frank Semmon, Knoxville; surgeon general, John A. Wilkins, Delta, O.; chaplain in chief, Rev. A. Drahus, San Quentin, Cal.

Corbett Whips McCoy. NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The long promised and long looked for meeting between James J. Corbett and Charles ("Kid") McCoy was held last night under the auspices of the Twentieth Century club at Madison Square Garden, and in less than five rounds Corbett proved himself the better man. That Corbett and McCoy are the cleverest exponents of the art of self defense among the present generation of the heavyweights goes without saying, and keen judges of the game who saw the fight declare that it was the cleverest exhibition ever witnessed in the ring. "Hearts of Men."

Arthur Sewall Stricken. BATH, Me., Sept. 4.—Arthur Sewall, Democratic candidate for vice president in 1896, is in a critical condition at his summer home at Small Point, 16 miles from this city. Mr. Sewall was seized with an attack of apoplexy at 10 o'clock Sunday night and has been unconscious most of the time since then. News was received from Small Point to the effect that the chances for his recovery are slight. Coal Mine on Fire. SHAMOKIN, Pa., Sept. 5.—Fire broke out in No. 10 vein of the Neilson shaft yesterday and at a late hour last night had become so serious that it is feared the entire mine will have to be flooded. The origin of the fire is unknown. Twelve hundred men and boys are rendered idle. The shaft is owned by J. Langdon & Co. of Elmira, N. Y. New York Markets. FLOUR—State and western slow, but fairly steady at old prices; Minnesota patents, \$4.10@4.35; winter straights, \$3.90@4.20; winter extras, \$2.70@3.00; winter patents, \$3.75@4.00. WHEAT—Opened steady on foreign buying, but afterward eased off under selling by local lots; September, 78 1/2@79 1/2; October, 76 1/2@78 1/2. RYE—Steady; state, 54@55c, c. i. f., New York; No. 2 western, 52c, f. o. b., afloat. CORN—Opened steady with wheat, but weakened under fine weather and fair receipts; December, 43 1/2@44 1/2. OATS—Dull and easy; track, white, state, 26@28c; track, white, western, 26 1/2@27 1/2. PORK—Quiet; mess, \$12@12 1/2; family, \$15@15 1/2. LARD—Firm; prime western steam, 7 1/2. BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 16@21c; creamery, 17 1/2@22c. CHEESE—Steady; large white, 16 1/2c; small white, 16c. EGGS—Firm; state and Pennsylvania, 18@20c; western, less off, 16 1/2@18c. SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 4 1/2c; centrifugal, 36 test, 4 1/2c; refined steady; crushed, 5 1/2c; powdered, 6 1/2c. TURPENTINE—Easy at 36 1/2@37c. RICE—Firm; domestic, 4 1/2@5 1/2c; Japan, 4 1/2@5c. TALLOW—Quiet; city, 4 1/2@4 1/4c; country, 4 1/4@4 1/2c. HAY—Dull; shipping, 7 1/2@7 3/4c; good to choice, 8@9c.

CASTORIA. Bears the Signature of Chat. H. Fletcher. SHERIFF'S SALE.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 29, 1900. By virtue of a writ of Pl. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, County and State aforesaid, on SATURDAY, SEPT. 29, 1900, at two o'clock p. m., all that certain lot or parcel of ground, situate on the south side of the Berwick road, in the Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of the said Berwick road and a twenty-foot street; thence along said street south forty-two minutes west, one hundred and eighteen feet to a sixteen-foot alley; thence along same south seventy-four degrees and thirty-five minutes west, forty-two and thirty-eight one hundredths feet, more or less, to a stake, on other land of Matthew McReynolds; thence on a line parallel to and forty feet from the first above named alley, north forty-two minutes east, one hundred and thirty-two feet, more or less, to the south side of the Berwick road, as now laid out; thence along same, in an easterly direction, forty feet to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a new two and one-half story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE. Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of The Co-operative Building Bank vs. George M. Lemon, and to be sold as the property of George M. Lemon. R. R. JOHN, Atty. W. W. BLACK, Sheriff.

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