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THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1901.

A bill has been introduced in the New York Legislature making it a misdemeanor for any person to sell, or offer for sale, any poultry, except live poultry, without previously removing the viscera thereof.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON DEAD.

Ex-President Benjamin Harrison died at his home in Indianapolis on Wednesday at 4:45 p. m.

WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, March 11, 1901. Senator Platt, of Connecticut, who did not make himself conspicuous as an advocate of the Ship subsidy bill, is the ostensible author of the resolution for the adoption of a cloture rule in the Senate.

Well, well! Teddy has tired of being the whole show already. He glared at the galleries, the occupants of which were applauding him, and threatened to have them cleared by the sergeant-at-arms if the applause was repeated.

Senator Morgan is determined to keep before the people the fact that it is the British influence that has caused and is causing Republican opposition to Nicaragua Canal legislation.

It is known that Lord Douglas by his will left much of his property in trust for five generations, it to be divided then among his direct descendants; or, should there be none to revert to the landed estate.

throne to Canada will have been rent in twain; and with its severance down will go the empire.

Senator Patterson, of Colorado; Dubois, and Heftfeld, of Idaho; Harris, of Kansas, and Turner, of Washington attended the caucus of Democrats held this week to consider ways and means of dealing with the Republican scheme for introducing the Reed rules in the Senate and making that body, like the House, merely a machine to record the will of one man.

The secret of why Senator Carter so unexpectedly talked the River and Harbor bill to death in the closing hours of the recent session of Congress has been ascertained. He acted for President McKinley, who, owing to the enormous total of appropriations, wanted the bill killed, but did not care to offend those interested in it by doing it with his little veto.

Pres't McKinley has stated that he would not again send the nomination of either Schley or Sampson to the Senate for promotion. In that case they will both be retired as rearadmirals, Schley next October, and Sampson three months later, and Schley will receive no reward for having destroyed Cervera's fleet.

American Heirs Under Will That Was Made 200 Years Ago.

James I. Beatty, a grocer of Trenton N. J., has been notified that he is one of the direct heirs to a fortune of more than a million dollars that has been in the courts of Scotland for more than two hundred years.

Mr Beatty and the other heirs are of the fifth generation, hence the official notification of their title to the fortune. Mr. Beatty, when informed of his good fortune, said he had often heard his mother and grandmother speak of the legacy, but he had never taken it seriously.

Why Lord Douglas left the peculiar legacy is not told. The family is one of the three most powerful in Scotland. In 1761 a daughter of Lord Douglas was kidnapped and brought to America, where she was adopted by a Quaker family of Philadelphia.

Last week Sarah E. Paul, of Columbia, Warren county, N. J., received a letter from a prothonotary in Scotland, notifying her that the great legacy is available. The other heirs are Mrs. James Fox, of Courtland, Pa.; George A. Beatty, of Hacketts-town, N. J., and O. C. Beatty, of South Bend, Ind.

There are many direct heirs who will come in for a share of the estate residing in Columbia County. Among them being the Fortner family and J. S. Woods of this town. The latter has in his possession depositions taken many years ago.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price, 25c.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING.

This Was the Last Session of the 1900 Council.

The body of men elected by the people of Bloomsburg in February of last year to look after the municipal affairs during nineteen hundred held the concluding session in the Council chamber Thursday evening last.

Secretary Freeze Quick read the previous meeting's proceedings, which upon motion, were adopted.

A communication from the Town Solicitor, Fred Ikeler, Esq., was presented and read. He had interviewed B. A. Gidding and F. D. Dentler in regard to damages sustained by them by reason of an overflow of the sewer. Mr. Gidding placed the amount at \$75 and Mr. Dentler at \$50. The matter was taken up by Council and upon motion the Secretary was instructed to issue orders to pay the same.

Mr. Cronin suggested that people having sewer connections in their buildings use traps which would preclude the possibility of any further damage from this source. The matter was referred to the Committee on fire and water.

The Finance Committee was ordered to confer with the tax collector, looking to a settlement of the 1898 duplicate, and it was also moved and seconded that J. K. Bittenbender be requested to turn in the tax duplicates of 1895 and 1896. Sixty days to be allowed him for that purpose.

On motion of Mr. Dieffenbach the gutters along the Neal farm were ordered to be repaired. The crossing on North Iron Street was also reported to be in bad condition.

The Good Will Fire Company asked that the regular appropriation of \$750 be granted. To this R. R. John, Esq., representing the other faction of the divided company objected stating that Council could not legally make such payment to a company not in possession of the charter. President Ikeler however, overruled the objection, and after a few remarks by W. C. Johnston Esq., representing the Fire Company, in which he said that the company possessed all the apparatus for fighting fire, which was sufficient to give the Council the right to grant the appropriation asked for, without the charter, the same was granted.

The fire police badges were ordered to be returned to the Good Will Fire Company No. 4.

On motion of Mr. John seconded by Mr. Hartman the Ordinance for taxing poles erected in said Town is laid over until next regular meeting and carried.

On motion duly seconded the ordinance granting a franchise to the Electric Railway Company through the streets of said Town is declared null and void and carried.

The Street Committee was given power to act in a complaint made by Mr. Neyhard, in regard to the blocking up of the road along the D. L. & W. Railroad by people dealing in

railroad ties.

Mr. Dieffenbach suggested that the now in force Town Ordinances be reprinted and indexed. On motion, seconded, the Secretary was ordered to prepare the same in the form described and submit it to Council for action.

Bills incurred during the month were presented and ordered paid.

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The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., postoffice, and will be sent to the dead letter office March 26, 1901. Persons calling for these letters will please say "that they were advertised March 12, 1901":

J. E. Appleman, Miss Mazie Fetterman, Mrs. John Diebert, Miss Katie Helwig, Mr. Bert Clinton Everson, M. Rocco Lo Manaco, Mr. J. B. Vance.

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For more than a quarter of a century we have been making Clothing for the citizens of Bloomsburg and Columbia County, and we are still making our goods in the Latest Styles and reliable goods by experienced workmen. Call and see the largest stock.

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All wool cheviot, 36 ins. wide, the biggest value you will see this spring, 25c.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

We buy these right from the mills and from the best in the world. If you buy a black dress here it must be what we tell you, or we will make it so.

Our Cheviot and Serge we sell are all sponged, so they won't shrink when you get in the damp. 50c, \$1 50.

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Good Time to Select the Tailored Suits.

You can make no mistake on any suit in this handsome collection. It is simply a question of style.

We sell the best coffee in the world—Chase & Sanborn's—15c to 40c a pound.

weave or color. Your taste satisfied the rest will be easy. Prices, \$7, 7 29, 10, 11, 12, 12.75, 14, 15, 17, 18 and \$25 00.

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You never turned money into furniture to better advantage than you can turn it now and here. Beautiful, new furniture, right from the factory, and at lower prices than you can find anywhere.

Bedroom furniture, white enameled beds, dining chairs, dining tables, chiffoniers, best mattresses, side boards, fancy rockers, fancy tables, best bed springs.

Shoes.

Select styles, newest kinds as to cuts. We sell shoes at less expense than any other shoe stores in town. So we can give you better value.

Our golf kid shoe is big value, \$2 39. Our Auto, we have the sole agency of in Bloomsburg, \$2 50. \$3 50 heavy shoe, for winter, to close out, \$2 75.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear Sale

We have been doing big things in ladies' muslin underwear. We added another lot to this handsome assortment that has filled up all the holes. Don't miss this chance.

F. P. PURSEL.

FIRE! FIRE! Big Fire Sale of GROCERIES. Commencing Saturday February 9th, and continuing until entire stock is disposed of. Tooley & Co. 43 E. Main St.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF WM. B. PETERMAN, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SUGARLOAF, DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William B. Peterman, late of Sugarloaf Township, deceased, have been granted to Rhoda L. Peterman: to whom persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to Rhoda L. Peterman, Administratrix, John G. Freese, Atty., Guava, Col. Co., Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF THOMAS W. MCHENRY, DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Thomas W. McHenry, late of Greenwood township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Amos Neyhard, of the borough of Orangeville, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to Amos Neyhard, Administrator, Bloomsburg, Pa., Feb. 14th, 1901.

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Babies and children need proper food, rarely ever medicine. If they do not thrive on their food something is wrong. They need a little help to get their digestive machinery working properly.



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