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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1901.

The Court of Inquiry has found Admiral Schley guilty of being disoedient, dilatory, vacillating and lacking in enterprise. Admiral Dewey, the president of the board, dissents from this and in his report he says that Admiral Schley's conduct in the Santiago campaign was wholly praiseworthy and that the whole credit of the victory belongs to Schley, as he was in supreme command. Public opinion is with Schley by a large majority.

Guffey Says Philadelphia Factions Are  
Now United.

Gordon, Pattison and Donnelly Come to  
Amicable Agreement With National  
Committee and State  
Chairman Creasy.

The Philadelphia Times says: A plan has been agreed upon to harmonize the Democratic party in Philadelphia that is acceptable to the leaders of both factions. Formal announcement of the details will be made public at the meeting Friday in this city of the Hesson committee, the State executive committee and the local leaders.

National Committeeman James M. Guffey and State Chairman W. T. Creasy were at the Stratford last night in conference for three hours with Ex-Governor Robert E. Pattison, Ex-Judge James Gay Gordon and Secretary J. Burwood Daly, of the County Democracy, and Magistrate Charles P. Donnelly, of the Donnelly-Ryan organization.

Rules embodying the best features of the revised rules of the Donnelly-Ryan party and the County Democracy will be approved by the Hesson committee, and arrangements made by them for holding the party primaries on the regular date of the old organization in January. Colonel Guffey and Mr. Creasy left the city immediately after the conference. The former gave out the following statement:

"I am greatly encouraged by the conference I have had to-day with representative Democrats, and the Hesson committee, when it meets on Friday, will have little difficulty, I believe, in carrying out the substance of its commission to bring about a reorganization of the party here that will make it harmonious, aggressive, and faithful, and that will bring to the confidence of the Democratic voters at large. It was appointed to accomplish that purpose and it will surely perform its duties satisfactorily. I believe the result will meet with the approval of the State executive committee, the State central committee, and all concerned. This will be beneficial and encouraging to the Democracy of the State.

"Rules will be adopted that will be fair and just and the reorganization effected under them will receive the support of all sincere Democrats. This will not only encourage the party in the State in its future contest for good government, but will also give hope to the honest people of Philadelphia for the political redemption of this ring-ridden municipality."

It is said that the agreement reached will provide for primary election officers that will be satisfactory to all sides.

### A Southern Traitor Squeals.

Senator McLaurin, of South Carolina, made a singularly absurd spectacle of himself the other day. Rising to a question of personal privilege he complained that he had not been invited to participate in the deliberations of the Democratic caucus. This incident he construed as giving him license to appeal to the Senate and the country and was rewarded by Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, who held him

up to ridicule as a man who had offered a resignation with a string to it which was subsequently pulled to secure him in his position.

Senator McLaurin has no more right in a Democratic caucus than Senator Quay or Lodge, except that he was elected as a Democrat and never would have been elected at all if it had been dreamed that he would betray his constituents as he did during the last Congress. Then he bargained with Senator Hanna to vote for certain odious and undemocratic legislation in consideration of certain administration patronage. Under the agreement he voted for the ship subsidy, the increase in the army, the Porto Rican tariff and all the infamous imperial and expansion measures which were proposed.

To thus betray his constituents he was bribed as certainly as if the action had been paid for in money. By thus betraying his constituents he put himself outside of the Democratic party and the Democratic leaders were wise and right in refusing him a seat in their caucus. If the Republicans who bought him don't despise him too much to allow him fellowship among them, let them take him into their caucus. But the chances are that they don't want him. He served their purpose when they needed him. Now that they have a safe majority they don't want him.—*Bellefonte Watchman.*

### COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Court convened at 2 p. m. Wednesday, His Honor R. R. Little and Associate Judges Fox and Kurtz on the bench.

The case of Isaac B. Feltz vs. The Natalie Anthracite Coal Company occupied the attention of the Court the entire day.

Daniel Knorr, High Sheriff of Columbia county, acknowledged the following deeds in open Court:

Daniel Knorr, Sheriff, to C. J. Fisher, lands in Catawissa and Locust township.

Same to E. R. Ikeler's executors, land in Greenwood township.

Same to Locust Mountain Savings and Loan Association, land in Bloomsburg.

Same to John Deus, land in Pine township.

Same to Patrick Welsh, guardian, land in Centralia.

Same to Jacob Rhoads, land in Bloomsburg.

### THURSDAY.

The case of Isaac B. Feltz vs. The Natalie Anthracite Coal Company on trial.

The arguments of the attorneys in the above case having been concluded, the Court allows the jury to take recess until the ringing of the bell while it considers the points in the case.

Wm. E. Summers vs. The Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad Co. Tresspass. Plea, not guilty.

This was an action brought by W. E.

Summers against The Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad Company to recover damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained by him by being struck by a passenger train at the crossing near the Red Rock bridge, on the evening of January 29, 1900.

Jury called and sworn.  
J. B. Robison and L. E. Waller appointed showers to go with jury to view the premises.

Petition of W. L. Demaree, guardian of Catharyn, George S. and Dorothy N. Worthington, minor children of George J. Worthington, to sell real estate, with affidavits attached. Order granted to sell real estate at private sale.

All jurors not serving on the case of Feltz vs. Natalie Coal Company and Summers vs. Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad Company are discharged from further attendance at this Court.

### FRIDAY.

Isaac B. Feltz vs. The Natalie Coal Company. Ejectment. Court charged jury and directed verdict for the defendants. Verdict as directed taken same day.

Before verdict was taken, counsel for plaintiff took exception to charge of court and asked that bill be sealed which is accordingly done by the court.

Jury on above case discharged.  
W. E. Summers vs. B. & S. R. R. Co. Tresspass. Plea not guilty.

Fred Ikeler and J. B. Robison, Esqs., appeared for the plaintiff and James Scarlet and L. E. Waller represented the defendant company.

The trial of the Summers case occupied the court on Friday, and on Saturday the jury returned a verdict of \$1000 for the plaintiff.

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will rid you of it, radically and permanently, as they have rid thousands.

When in doubt what to get for Christmas presents, go to W. J. Correll & Co's. extensive furniture store, where you will surely find something suitable. Their line includes china closets, book cases, pedestals, music stands, side-boards, fancy rockers, Morris chairs, cabinets, center tables, India seats, tabourettes, pictures, couches, roll-top desks, wardrobes, ladies' desks, sewing stands, parlor suits, bedroom suits, and furniture for every room in a house.

Within the charmed circle of my regular customers there is a strong conviction that no other jewelry, watches or clocks equals those sold by Geo. W. Hess.

Town lots for sale, on easy terms. Bloomsburg Land Improvement Co. Inquire of Sanderson Woods, sales agent. N. U. Funk, Sec'y. Office, Ent Building. (4 25)

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"Try Me" Shoe, for women, \$2.00.

Box Calf Shoes, for women, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00. All leather.

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If you want solid comfort, buy our Government Shoe, \$2.50.

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## Merry Christmas! Merry Christmas!

We have our Christmas Goods ready for you! Come and bring your wives, your cousins, your uncles and your aunts, and don't forget to bring the little folks. Be sure and bring them all to see our

## Toys, Chinaware Glassware and Dishes of All Kinds

on our Novelty Side.  
On our Grocery Side we have Sweet Cider, Nuts of all kinds, Oranges, Candies and all the delicacies of the season.

We invite you to come and see us—come often.

**MIFFLIN & TERWILLIGER**  
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## Xmas Comes With its Xmas Presents.

# TOWNSEND'S

Are now ready with them, for father, brother, or friend. Below we give a list of suitable presents.

## Long Overcoats at Short Prices, Elegant Suits, Warm Storm Coats.

The finest in  
Stiff and Soft Hats,  
Dress Shirts,  
Umbrellas,  
House Coats,  
Dress Gloves,  
Silk Handkerchiefs,  
Mackintoshes,  
Children's Sweaters,  
Suspenders,  
Shaw Knit Hose,  
Traveling Bags,  
Mufflers,  
Toques and Tams,  
Fancy Colored Shirts,  
Smoking Coats,  
Driving Gloves,  
Fine Linen Handkerchiefs,  
Fancy Hosiery,

Rain Coats,  
Boys' Sweaters,  
President Suspenders,  
Night Robes,  
Dress Suit Cases,  
Collars and Cuffs,  
Cardigan Jackets,  
Boys' Shirts,  
Hosiery,  
Bath Robes,  
Golf Gloves,  
Underwear,  
Fine Neckwear,  
Men's Sweaters,  
Safety Button Suspenders,  
Bath Robes,  
Driving Caps,  
Telescopes,  
Plush Caps.

Our Xmas Novelties are all new and at prices that cannot be surpassed. We invite an inspection. Come early and see the holiday styles at

# Townsend's CLOTHING STORE.

## The Christmas Selling.

### NEWS FROM THE HOLIDAY STOCKS.

Offerings. Things useful, things ornamental. We have picked just those lines which are bound to appeal to popular favor. The staple stocks of everyday merchandise are also at their best. We cordially invite you to come. We invite you to buy if you are ready, if not the inspection will be a strong reminder for you when you are ready to buy.

### Christmas Handkerchiefs.

A little thing is a handkerchief, but it plays a mighty big part in Holiday gift giving; pivotal Christmas stock in this store. The largest we have ever owned.

Ladies' all linen hemstitched handkerchiefs 5c.  
Ladies' all linen emby handkerchiefs 12c.

We have handkerchiefs from 3c to \$3.50 each.

### The Doll Collection.

Dolls, dressed or undressed, dolls that sleep and dolls that can't sleep—every size, kind and description of dolls may be found here, and every doll to be sold by Xmas eve. We can't tell you how pretty they are but come and see them, 5c to \$2.75.

### The Toys, The Games.

To itemize would be impossible in so small a space. But come and see them and bring the little folks with you.

Toys from 5c to \$3.50.

Games from 5c to \$3.50.

### Umbrellas For Gifts.

Scores of styles and all selected with the greatest care as to their suitability for gifts. We note two or three tempting lots:

Pearl handle with silver trimmings at \$1.49.

Pearl handle with silver and gold trimmings at \$2.25.

\$1.25 umbrellas for \$1.00.

### Some Stylish Coats And Capes For Xmas.

The cold weather all ahead of you; the wearing time only begun. What can you buy for mother, wife, sister or daughter that will be more appreciated.

30 inch plush capes, well lined \$5.00.

\$12.00 ladies' 42 inch coats \$9.50.

27 inch kersey coat, lined with skinner satin and nicely stitched at \$10.00.

### The Xmas Blankets.

Big, warm, woolly fellows, rich borders. These lots are chosen for their fitness for Christmas presents.

11-4 all fine wool blankets, all colored borders, \$5.00.

11-4 fine California wool blankets at \$7.50.

### Fine Furs For Xmas.

Fur stock most complete, you can't select a more acceptable Christmas gift than one of these scarfs, 98c to \$12.00.

### Holiday Neckwear For Men.

Hundreds, yes, thousands of our men are remembered at Christmas with a neat necktie. These fresh, bright lots, all in the newest shades will strike you just right.

All the new shapes at 25c.

The new shapes and fine silk 50c.

## Furniture of all Kinds.

Our Furniture Department chock full of all kinds of furniture for Christmas Gifts. We show at least one hundred different Fancy Rockers and Morris Chairs, and fifty more different styles in Fancy Rockers to open this week. Biggest assortment ever shown in Bloomsburg and they are priced to sell quick.

20 different kinds of Dining Room Chairs.

15 " " " " Tables.

10 " " " " Bed Room Suits.

9 " " " " Side Boards.

17 " " " " Couches.

China Closets, Combination Book-cases, White Enameled Beds, Parlor Tables, Children's Rockers, all prices. We invite you again to come to our store and let us show you what we are doing.

Come and See the Prices.

# F. P. Pursel.