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### TO THE REPUBLICAN ELECTORS OF PENNSYLVANIA.

directed by the Republican State Com-to announce that the Republicans of lvania, by their duly chosen representa-vill meet in convention at the Lyceum a in the city of Harrisburg, on Wednesday, 1966, at 10:30 a.m., for the purpose of ating candidates for the following offices,

One person for the once of Lieutenandover, one person for the office of Auditor-General. One person for the office of Secretary of Inter-mal Affairs; and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented. In accordance with the rules governing the party, the representation in the State Conven-tion will be based upon the vote polled at the igst Presidential election. Under the rules each legislative district is intilded to one delegate for each two thousand votes cast for Republican every fraction of two thousand votes polled in excess of one thousand.

one thousand. By order of the State Committee, W. R. ANDREWS, Chairman.

### WASHINGTON LETTER.

(Fromour Regular Correspondent.) Washington, March 17th, 1906. Gentle and conservative people

may think that the address of Senator Tillman on the rate bill in the Senate this week was characteristically fierce and somewhat overdrawn. But it has set a great many astute politicians thinking and talking and is likely to do much for the cause of effective legislation. It certainly ranged the Senator on the side of the President and shows what he himself claims, that the rate bill is not and cannot be made a party measure, that it is a vital piece of legislation and that if this congress does not enact wise and conservative legislation the voters will see to it that another set of men are put in who will perhaps be less wise and certainly far more radical in the measures they will

take to control the roads. Senator Tillman spoke of his utterances as his own personal views. But it may be said that they are the views of a great many of both parties at the Capitol, some of them men who would do anything in their power to thwart rate legislation, but who when it comes to the pinch may feel that it is wise to agree that rate control is no party measure and that the time has come when the common people of the country are demanding a minimum of their rights and it may be well to grant them, lest those same common people take measures to secure a maxanother set of men to Congress to legislate for them. The announcement that Judge Taft has, for the present at least, declined the proffered place for him on the Supreme bench is not altogether a surprise. The Secretary of War knows that not only is there an immense amount of work that needs doing both in Panama and the Philippines, but that he has been subjected to much harsh, and he considers unjust criticism for the way he has handled things in those two corners of the world. Therefore while a seat on the Supreme bench is a thing few men would lightly decline, he has decided to stay at the head of the War Department for some months at any rate. There is really no serious need for him to make a decision before next October when the Supreme Court reconvenes after the summer recess. Meantime the mere fact that he has not definitely declined the place will be enough to save the President a great deal of embarrasment from place seeking -politicians scores of whom have candidates in reserve for the vacant jadgeship should there seem to be the least chance of their landing it.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of Decem-ber, A. D., 1886.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO,

ber, A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (SEAL.) Notary Public. Hall's Catarh Cure is taken intern-ally, and acts directly on the blood and for testimonials free. F J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Remarks of a fool may discount the aspoken thoughts of a wise man.

### Letter to John Kelly.

Emporium, Pa. Dear Sir, What is lumber worth? "Depends on the lumber," you saywhat sort do you want?"

That's how some people talk about paint. They ask: "What'll you 'paint my house for?'

The Yankeo answers: "How do you want it painted? One coat? two coats?

The coats? first-class or cheap?" The proper answer is; "I want the best paint put on as it ought to be."

That's Devoe; but the usual answer is:

"I want a good job; but I want it cheap." Which means: I want you to paint it for nothing. I want to be fooled. Lead-and-oil is the costliest paint there is; not the best; it used to be best. Devoe is best, since zinc came in; Devoe lead-

and-zinc. Zinc toughens the lead and doubles its

wear. Zinc costs no more then lead; and we grind by machinery.

We have no patent on zinc; but no-body else is treating it right. Devoe is your paint.

Yours truly F. W. DEVOE & Co., New York.

P. S.-Murry & Coppersmith sell our paint.

If some men were to put their con-sciences on ice it would spoil the ice.

The best way to rid the system of a cold is to evacuate the bowels. Kennedy's Honey and Tar acts as a pleasant yet effectual cathartic on the bowels. It clears the head, cuts the phlegm out of the throat, strengthens the bronchial tubes, relieves coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

Man hopes for the best, but woman insists on something better.

If you are troubled with Piles and can't find a cure, try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, but besure you get that made by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. It is the original. If you have used Witch Hazel Salve without being relieved it is which be that you get held to be a file t is probable that you got hold of one of the many worthless counterfeits that are sold on the roputation of the genuine De-Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by R. C. Dodson. ---

Never judge a woman's love for house leaning by her dislike for dirt.

Don't frown-look pleasant. It you re suffering from indigestion of sour stomach, take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Hon. Jake Moore, of Atlanta, Ga, says: "I suffered more than 20 years with indigestion. A friend recommended Ko-dol. In relieved me in one day and I now enjoy netter health than for many years." Kodol digests what you eat, re lieves sour stomach, gas on stomach, belching, ctc. Sold by R. C. Dodson.

When poverty comes in at the door a shiftless man hides behind his wife.

Always Keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in His Home.

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Concerning the Huguenots. While being royally entertained by my esteemed young friend, Harry my esteemed young friend, Harry Burgham, at his hotel in the town of Deferiet, New York, it was my good fortune to make the acquaintance of a gentleman who has the distinction of living on social terms with Madame Julia Phelps and family at the histor-ical old maneion that lies several miles back from the Black river, and by whose kindness I was taken and intro-duced to those illustrious descendants of Count LaRay, a French Huguenot nobleman, who fled, with others, from France to escape the infliction of death or torture at the hands of those who sought their destruction in the name of religion.

Before proceeding to describe this really famous chateau, a thing which, in its way, recalls to mind the horrors of a barbaric past, I will give for the benefit of those not familiar with Hug-uenot history, a brief sketch of that part of French history which relates to Huguenot affairs and the leaving their native country to seek refuge in Europe and America. Following in the wake of Martin Luther the Huguenots ap-peared to undertake the reformation of France. And the Court of France, under Francis the First, looked not un-kinkly upon the movement, and its success might have been accomplished only for the too inconcelastic tenden-cies of the reforms themselves. The Huguenots were not merely a simple-minded body of religious folk, for real-ly they assumed such proportions as to have as followers many families amongst the French nobility, and made strong pretentions to governmental power, principally through the instru-mentality of Henry of Navarre. And although the bloodiest of all known massacres, that of St. Bartholomew, which was enacted on August 24th, 1572, when so many thousands of men, women and children of the Protestant faith were slaughtered in cold blood, yet in 1598 the Huguenots extorted from Henry the Fourth the famous Edict of Nantes, which granted to these people the simple rights of relig-ious liberty, under which they lived and prospered until the year 1655, when the revocation of the Edict of Nantes act again subjected the Huguenots to the same religious bigotry and fury they had suffered in earlier years. And to save themselves from extine-tion they deserted beir native coun-try to the extent of many hundreds of thousands, going to England, Germany and Holland Some crossed the At-lantic and found refuge in America. After the revocation, and when the barbaric acts were about to be again enacted, both parties alite asked aid from foreign countries in the strug gle that was to come. Italy and Spain obeyed the summons of the pontiff at Rome, while Germans and English en-rolled for the of religion. Before proceeding to describe this

nots. Few greater chamities could have befallen France at that time, for the Huguenots in their exodus carried with them the arts and tastes which until then were the special gifts of France alone; so that in the arts of peace and of war the Huguenots were at once arrayed against the country which had so wantonly and cruelly op-possed them. The loss, great as it was to France, was a blessing in equal pro portion to the countries which gladly offered them an asylum. Religious in-tolerance had not only passed the death sentence on all Huguenots in France, but had destroyed and crushed more than half the commercial and manufacturing industries of the coun-try. The nation's beat interests and best people were sacrificed on the altar of religious madness. Christians liv-ing now, whether Catholic or Protes-tant, are not answerable for the bar-baris and fiendish acts which either sect practiced upon the other in cen-turies past. Civilization has fought its battles and has subdued the brutal in-stincts in man that once held sway. Had the Huguenots succeeded in France to the extent of bringing about the equilibrium of religious forces, how different would the histories of the religious world read to-day. France would have become a great nation at an earlier period and. its better influ-ence would have been felt over all christendom. It would have been sav-ed the odium of its horrible massacre of St. Bartholomew and all the fiend-ish disgrace that followed in its train; and with the retention at home of that splendid element it persecuted and drove away from its shores, its success in all the arts of manufacture and com-merce would have made France the paramount nation of the world. Un bridde deligions fanaticism has coet

merce would have made France the paramount nation of the world. Un bridled religious fanaticism has cost the world dearly, indeed. I will now speak of my visit to Madame Julia Phelps at her Huguenot



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of French skill and taste of more than two centuries ago. These useful adornments have ticked and told the time one century after another, and who knows but what at some time they have passed as tokens of the deep est friendship by those who have so long ago passed into dust. Of the art treasures that hung upon the massive walls were paintings by the most cele-brated French and English painters, and the one this dear old lady pointed out to me with all the pride, as I could have fancied, of a real born French lady, was a portrait of the late Leon Gambetta The tall windows, set deep-ly into the massive walls, were draped Gambetta The tall windows, set deep-ly into the massive walls, were draped with silk lace curtains of lovely designs and to day, although generation alter generation and century after century have passed away, this magnificent drapery, made by Huguenot hands in the days of their trials and perils, is as lustrous and free from all signs of wear as one could imagine it to have been when the fabric left the loom. Noth-ing surprised me more than to learn that these exquisite curtains had been brought from France by the original settlers. settlers.

The noble French families brought The noble French families brought with them the best they had; and in making the settlement which they then termed "The Campagnia de New York," they appeared to realize that the region they had settled would grow into a great colony. Before leaving the chateau noy friend and myself drank heartily to the health of Madame Sulia Phelps and to all the household.

all the household. ALFRED TRUMAN.

Shubuta, Mississippi.

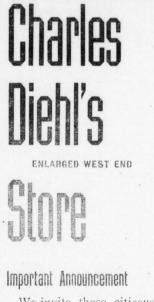
CARD FROM L. TAGGART.

His Liberal Offer to Treat Worst Case of Catarrh in Emporium. To the Editor :

I have such an unusual offer to make to your readers, one that will be of the greatest value to them, that I hope you will give this letter prominent location.

For some time I have had an opportunity to watch the results following the ise of Hyomei, a treatment for catarrh that cures by breathing medicated air, absolutely without any stomach dosing. The results have been so remarkable that I feel justified in making a public offer to treat the worst case of catarrh in Emorium with the understanding that if Hyomei does not cure, it will cost absolutely nothing.

People who have spent a great deal of Salt Meats (Jacob Dold's), Sausages, Glass and Canned money with catarrh specialists, deriving but little benefit, have seen almost imme Goods. Everything choice diate good results from the use of Hyomei, 1 or no sale. and continued treatment with this remedy I will now speak of my visit to Madame Julia Phelps at her Huguenot home, and, as far as my knowledge goes, is the last remaining home haps in America. After crossing the Black river we passed over a few miles of sandy plains and through a dense forest of white pine. Every tree in this forest has grown since the settle-ment of the Huguenots and is said to be the last remaining forest of pine that country. It is a part of the estate decended from Count La Ray. Emerg ing from this wood we came into open fields partly surrounded by several in-closures of great, fine old sugar mapier matsables where many steeds have been parks. In the midst of all this is the famous old mansion (or chateau), with its coachman's house, perhaps the most ancient of all, and the barns and stables where many steeds have been plain to be seen how closely the orig-inal designers had carried out their desires to create things a little old world like. In an opening through one of these maple parks, and at a point known as the "Look Out," are wont to meet and play cards and amoke and drink the best of French wine. The view from this memorable spot covers a landscape of more open fields and a lovely lake On entering the mansion I first met the elderly Madame Phelps, a lady or eveneding the features and one who 2 In Men and Boys Workhas resulted in a complete and lasting cure ng Clothing and Jackets we have some bargains. Complete Line of Medicines. 1 ly call to your attention are: We have added a full and MIRAGE SILK, a very popular silk of the pongee class, very bright and lua-trous, of fast color and guaranteed to wear. It is the best of the pongee class and comes in all colors 81.25 complete line of patent medicines. 1 11 No Fancy Profits. BON TON PONGEB-Comes in natural color only, with neat open \$1.00 work effects In order to meet the de-SILK AND LINEN PONGEE-In neat brocade effects; washes permands of our rapidly in-creasing trade, we shall be content with a reasonable MESSALINE FOULARDS -- in neat hair line stripes; very lustrous \$1.00 profit, having no desire to get rich quick. "Fair deal-ing, honest goods at honest CHIFFON FOULARDS-Double width, 45 inches wide, all new \$2.00 prices is our motto.' FOREIGN-DOMESTIC FOULARDS-We challenge comparison with our stock of these famous silks; we are showing exclusive designs in all the leading colors; over 200 styles to choose from, at \$1.00 \$1.25 and \$1.50. Phone and Dray. CHAS. DIEHL. NATURAL PONGEES, in great variety at 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. GREY SILKS-The newest popular color for this season's wear. We are showing over 200 styles at the popular price, §1,00 Itching Piles. If you are acquainted with anyone who is troubled with this distressing ailment, you can do him no greater favor than to C. S. Andrews, Ex- Mayor, Danbury, Conn., writes: Painted my house 19 years ago with L. & M. Looks well fotell him to try Chamberlain's Salve. It gives instant relief. This salve also enres sore nipples, tetter and salt rheum. Sold by H. S. Lloyd, Emporium, Pa ADAM, Price 25 cents. For sale by L. Taggart, John E. Smith, Sterling Run; Crum MELDRUM & For Sale. Bros., Sinnamahoning. A number of long tables, suitable for ANDERSON CO. store or dining room; for sale at a bar-Some men find it easier to stand ad-American Block, Buffalo, N. Y. gain. R. SEGER. versity than prosperity.



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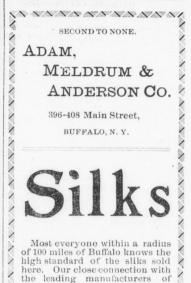
# TO THE PEOPLE

Rich's Famous All Wool Sock has fallen into competition with a very inferior article. The imitation is so perfect that only an expert is able to detect the counterfeit with its cotton and shoddy mixtures, until the sock is put into service. Unscrupulous competitors are representing the sock as Rich's All Wool, thus deceiving the customer and injuring our reputation.

To protect ourselves and the trade, in the future Rich's Socks will bear a Red Seal Trade Mark printed in white, a fac-simile of which is shown above.

Respectfully,

# JOHN RICH & BROS.



chateau in France. There were beauti-ful old clocks on the mantel pieces, all glittering as on the day they left the jewelers' hands, and splendid example of French skill and taste of more than

"We would not be without Chamber-lain's Cough Remedy. It is kept on hand contually in our home."-says W. W. Kearney, editor of the Independent, Lowry City, Mo. That is just what every family should do. When kept at hand ready for instant use, a cold may be checked at the outset and cured in much less time than after it has become settled in the system. This remedy is also without a peer for croup in children, and will prevent the attack when given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, which can only don when the remedy is kept at hand. For sale by L. Taggart; J. E. Smith Sterling Run; Crum Bros.; Sinnamoning.

There would be no such a thing as a silent tomb if women had their way.

#### Afflicted With Rheumatism.

"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says Mr. J. C. Bayne, editor of the Herald, Addington, Indian Territory, "but thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Palm am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If troubled with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. For sale by L. Taggart; J. E. Smith, Sterling Run; Crom Bros., Sinnamahoning.

#### Latest Popular Music.

Miss May Gould, teacher of piano forte has received a full line of the lat-est and most popular sheet musc. Ali the popular airs. Popular and class-ical music. Prices reasonable. 44-tf.

On entering the mansion I first met on entering the mansion I first met the elderly Madame Phelps, a lady of exceedingly fine features and one who impresses you as being a typical de-cendent of a noble type of people and one worthy to be the mistress of a home so illustrious as history and time 'have made this one to be. After furth-er introduction I was shown over the imposing rooms and enjoyed the splendor of that forest home. There seemed to me so many rare and priceless things in it, which I was told once adorned the Baroness La Ray's