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CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS. JUNE 8,

ANNOUNCEMENT.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce that Geo. B. Crawford, of Gregg, will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that Cyrus Brungard, of Millheim, will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that J. P. Condo, of Gregg township, will be a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Democratic rules.

REGISTER.

We are authorized to announce that W. J. Carlin, of Rebersburg, will be a candidate for Register, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce A. G. Archey, of Ferguson township, will be a candidate for Register, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that G. W. Rumberger, of Phillipsburg, will be a candidate for Register, subject to Democratic rules.

TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce that John F. Potter, of Boggs twp., will be a candidate for Treasurer, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that A. J. Greist, of Unionville, will be a candidate for Treasurer, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that W. T. Speer, of Bellefonte, will be a candidate for Treasurer, subject to Democratic rules.

COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce that George L. Goodhart, of Potter, will be a candidate for Commissioner, subject to Democratic rules.

We are authorized to announce that T. F. Adams, of Bellefonte borough, will be a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to Democratic rules.

THE NEW BALLOT LAW.

The reconstructed Baker ballot law as agreed upon by the house and senate, makes the following changes in the present law:

The ballot is decreased to one-half its present size. Only one set of the ballots and sample ballots is necessary. Reduces the percentage for party nominations from three to two. Increases the time allowed for printing the ballots. Provides that the printing of the ballots for spring elections shall be done under the supervision of the county commissioners. Certificates of nominations for members of the house of representatives shall be filed with the county commissioners instead of the secretary of the commonwealth. Provides that one mark in a circle at the top of a column of candidates shall be a vote for every one in that column. Where the circle is not marked a mark for every candidate voted for is required. A screen or door must be placed on the front of each booth, thereby better securing privacy. Provides for greater thickness of paper for ballots and the corner of the ballot folded over shall be printed black so that the number cannot be seen through the paper. In case a voter votes more persons than he is entitled to the ballot shall not be entirely thrown out, but so much of the ballot as is properly marked shall be counted.

The disability clause of the act of 1891 is unchanged, but a penal clause is provided for any one who falsely represents his disability.

CHINESE EXCLUSION.

As the exclusion of Chinese immigration is the policy of the government, determined on with the approval of both political parties and the assent of Republican and Democratic administrations, and recognized in our treaties with China, some justification for the registration provision of the Geary law is to be found in the organized and extensive conspiracies to evade the exclusion law, official details of which have recently been made public. They exist not only in the far Northwest in the smuggling of Chinese into the country from British Columbia, but in the New England States bordering on the Dominion line. A sort of underground railroad is reported to be in operation between Montreal and other Canadian cities and points within the American line, and for over a year these organized gangs have been smuggling Chinese into this country, of course to their great profit. They are reported to get a hundred dollars for every one of the celestials they bring over. The issue of forged identification certificates forms part of the business. A number of arrests, both of Americans and Chinese, have been made by the federal authorities. This smuggling business is carried on even much more extensively on the Pacific, between the States of Washington and the British province.

The President has been appealed to by religious bodies to suspend the execution of the Geary law, and logically he should also suspend the exclusion law in favor of these smuggling gangs. He can do nothing of the kind. So far as congress has provided the means he must enforce the laws. The ingenuity of the Chinese in evading the exclusion law was what called forth the Geary act. The registration provision of that law is by no means oppressive, even if it is exceptional. The deportation penalty is for non-compliance but is probably impracticable.

Americans resident in Germany and other European countries are required to comply with local laws as to registration much more vexatious than the registration of the Geary act. If they do not they are subject to penalties more or less severe. The whole trouble about the Geary law has been caused by the refusal of the Chinese to comply with its registration provision, and this refusal has been prompted by the orders of the Chinese Six Companies of California. The resident Chinese prefer to obey the orders of this governing body and defy the laws of the United States, so that it has really become a question which is the more powerful and to be obeyed, the Six Companies or the government of the United States. That is all there is of the Chinese question, admitting the unquestioned fact that the exclusion of Chinese immigration is the settled policy of the American government.—Pittsburg Post.

THE TREATY between Russia and the United States has at last been formally proclaimed, and will go into effect on June 24. The treaty is similar in scope to all extradition treaties negotiated by the United States in recent years. Much opposition was made to the treaty, and has been before the people for about six years.

EDWIN BOOTH, the great tragedian, died on Wednesday morning, at the Player's club, New York, after a long illness. Booth was the most famous tragedian the world has known.

THERE IS a financial panic throughout the west, and banks continue going under every day. The probable cause of the panic is attributed to the bank officials taking a lunch at the World's Fair.

Further Pension Frauds.

The loose construction of pension laws recently in vogue and the lax administration of the laws as construed seem to have put a premium on pension frauds and brought organized gangs of pension swindlers into existence. A gang of traffickers in pensions has just been ferreted out in Iowa by an honest pension examiner, and another is being overhauled, it is stated, in New Mexico. The cases recently unearthed in Norfolk are in point. All go to show the necessity of a publication of the pension lists, so that every neighborhood will be able to assist the government in exposing frauds. The pension roll should be a roll of honor.

Must Salute the Prince.

Commander Davis has written a lengthy letter to Mrs. Potter Palmer, in Chicago, in which he gives implicit instructions as to how the infants should be received when she arrives in that city. In the letter he says: "Will you kindly warn the good people of Chicago that when they are presented to her they are presented to her husband as well, who stands by her side and is a prince of royal blood. People when presented should bow to each. They have made the mistake here in New York of almost ignoring the prince and saluting the princess alone." Mr. Davis then informs Mrs. Palmer just how the presenting should be done and that in retiring people should avoid turning their backs on their royal highnesses. Commander Davis concludes as follows: "You can easily understand that it is an utter impossibility for a lady in so conspicuous a position as that of her royal highness to meet and know all the persons in one city who would like to know her. So that I would advise you to make the list of those for whom you desire a special presentation as exclusive as possible."

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Dr. M. J. Davis is a prominent physician of Lewis, Cass county, Iowa, and has been actively engaged in the practice of medicine at that place for the past thirty-five years. On the 26th of May, while in Des Moines, en route to Chicago, he was suddenly taken with an attack of diarrhoea. Having sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for the past seventeen years, and knowing its reliability, he procured a 25 cent bottle, two doses of which completely cured him. The excitement and change of water and diet incident to traveling often produce a diarrhoea. Every one should procure a bottle of this Remedy before leaving home. For sale by J. D. Murray, Druggist.

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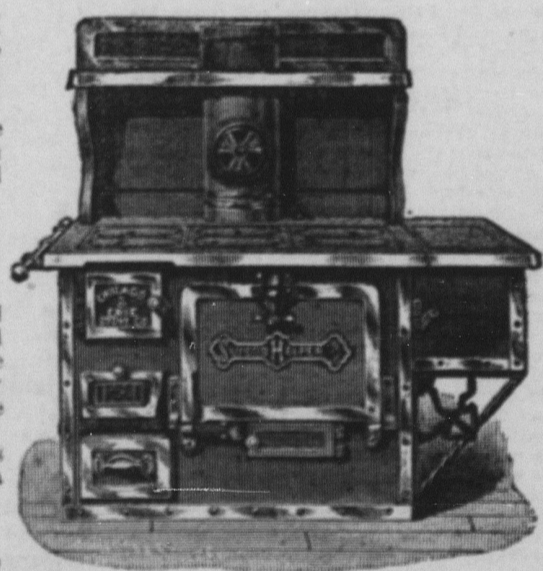
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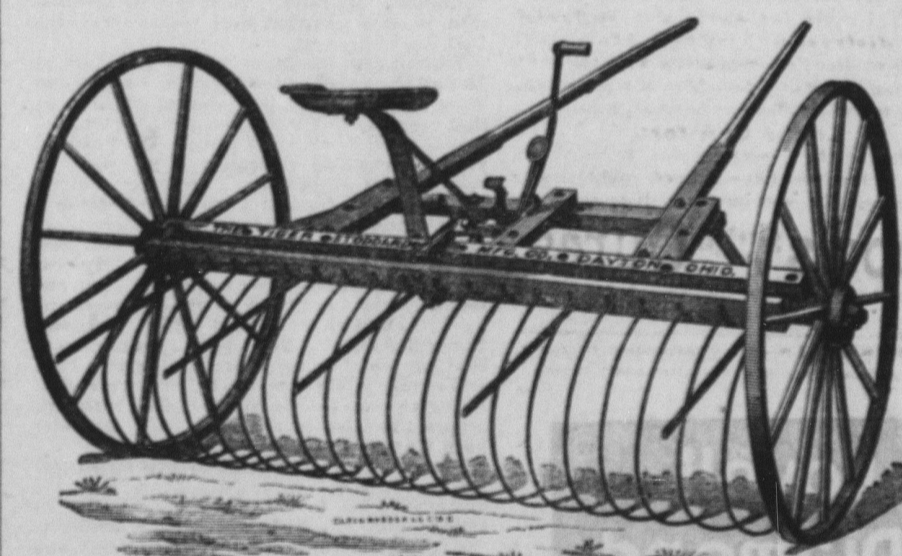
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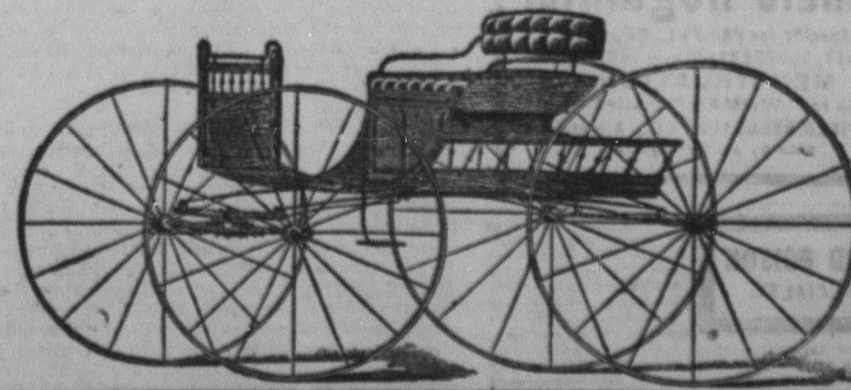
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