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WHY IS IRON ORE TAXED?

It is easily understood why some sections of the country insist upon a tariff tax upon iron ore, but it is incomprehensible how any Representative of Pennsylvania, and especially Eastern Pennsylvania, can favor such a tax. It is today a most oppressive tax upon every iron producing establishment in Eastern Pennsylvania, and the time is near at hand when our great iron works must be closed up absolutely unless free iron ore shall be given to them.

It seems probable that a tax will be placed upon iron ore in the new tariff chiefly because the Alabama Senators demand it, and the reasons which make the Alabama Senators insist upon such a tax should make our Pennsylvania Senators resolutely fight and vote against it. Alabama is battling not for protection against foreign iron, but for special protection in competition with the iron of our Pennsylvania furnaces. While iron ore shall be taxed Alabama iron can be sold in Philadelphia and other points in the East for less than it can be produced by our own furnaces, and the whole battle is a conflict between the cheaper iron of the South and the iron of the North.

If iron could be made in Pennsylvania without foreign ores there would be some reason for taxing the foreign commodity, but when we state that the largest and most successful iron establishment at Reading use 80 per cent. of imported ore when located in the very heart of the ore-producing section of Pennsylvania, the necessity for free iron ore may be understood. The foreign ore is used first because it is a necessity to make a good quality of iron, and second because it produced 60 per cent. of iron as against 40 per cent. from the Pennsylvania ores. Making iron ore free, therefore, will not diminish the use of our domestic ore in Pennsylvania in any degree, while continued tax on iron ore must speedily abolish our furnaces, and thus greatly lessen the production of our home mines.

The Philadelphia Record favors a non-partisan judiciary. Most of the leading journals and fair-minded men take this stand. The judge upon the bench should be chosen solely with regard to uprightness and ability—no station can be of so vast importance to the people.

Centre county will lay claim, on either party, to the next president judge. In Huntingdon the Republicans concede it to Centre but the Democrats will bring forward an able man in Mr. Bailey. What the people want is no small bore man for the bench and one whose past is creditable.

THE COUNT MUST BE OPEN TO VIEW

The action of the grand jury emphasizes one of the best features of the Baker ballot law, and one which is not as widely known as it might be says the Pittsburgh Times. On the evening of the last election, three citizens of McKeesport came to their polling place and demanded to be let in after the polls were closed, that they might see the count. When they were refused they broke open the door, and were returned by the constable on a charge of interfering with an election. The Grand Jury ignored the bill, being properly instructed that these men were acting within their right as citizens to be present, outside the guard rail, and in sight and hearing of the election officers while the ballots were being counted. This right is clearly conveyed in the law, and should be exercised wherever there is any reason to believe that it will add a final safeguard to the honesty of the election. A free, fair and secret ballot is an empty phrase without an honest count at the end of it.

There is another provision of the law which is even less generally observed. It is not only the right of a qualified voter, but it is the prescribed duty of "the police officers, constables and deputy constables now required by law to be present at the polls, to remain within the voting room, but outside the guard rail, while the votes are being counted, and to preserve order therein." Election officers should acquaint themselves with such details as these, that no virtue of the law may lose its effect.

The Penn'a. r. comp. has sent out a special train with two physicians, who are to go over the whole line to Chicago and vaccinate at each station all the switchmen, stationmen, gatekeepers and other employes.

Right; but we would suggest it keep a train on the road to wax-inate with lead pellets the train robbers.

The home candidates, so far, for Democratic favors, are, Aaron Williams for congress; Cal. Meyer, for senator; for judge, C. M. Bower. In occasional groups we hear preferences for the following for president judge: D. F. Fortney, J. L. Spangler, and Ellis Orvis. We do not think that any of these honored names encourage their friends in this connection, yet, Judge Spangler wouldn't sound bad; Judge Fortney would sound smooth, and Judge Orvis would have a familiar and popular ring about it. With a clean, able and unexceptionable man the Democrats have a winning chance; but neither party can get thro with a third rate lawyer for this lofty position, which requires purity, integrity and legal acumen in the one to be clothed with the judicial ermine.

The counties in Pennsylvania with no debt are Bradford, Butler, Centre, Clarion, Erie, Franklin, Greene, Lawrence, Lehigh, Luzerne, Northumberland, Pike, Sullivan, Susquehanna, Venango, Washington and Wyoming. If Centre keeps electing good commissioners, our county will keep out of debt.

There has been a promising start on the pension reform. The greatest source of extravagance and fraud in the entire federal system has been boldly and honestly attacked. The Pension Appropriation bill reported to the House is nearly \$15,000,000 less than the amount appropriated for the current fiscal year.

This is a record of which the Democratic party has a right to be proud, despite the shortcomings and wrong going in other directions.

It is a good thing to have auditors who audit without fear. The auditors of Tioga county have discovered that the commissioners there visited the World's Fair last year at the expense of the county on the pretext of going to Chicago to look at the plans of steel cages needed in the Tioga county jail. This is just as bad as the they had repaired pikes for private companies at public expense.

MILLHEIM.

A Breezy Batch of News from our Neighboring Town.

Harry Bibighaus and E. C. Gale, two popular and well-known commercial men, registered at the Musser House last week.

Mrs. Hattie Schaub, of Pottsville, visited her sister, Mrs. Willis Weaver, last week, but has returned to her home.

G. W. Hollingsworth, the horse tamer and vet. surgeon, is stopping at the National hotel, and is doing quite a good business. He has a pair of fine horses, and takes great pride in them; and truly, they are beauties.

Some of our people have made garden; onions and lettuce is about all that has been planted.

D. S. Fink, advertising agent of the Sioux Indian Med. Co. of St. Louis, has been stopping at the Musser House, and is selling lots of medicine. In May a troupe of ten Indians and a band of music will visit Millheim and Centre Hall, and other places in Centre co., and give free concerts every afternoon and evening. The agent, Mr. Fink, is a clever fellow, well educated and fluent talker.

"Dr." Nev. Auman will undoubtedly, ere long, hang out his shingle and be prepared to attend to all calls to alleviate suffering humanity. Success.

The editor of the Journal sports a new bicycle, and for the short time that he has had it, is making rapid progress in taming his steed.

Harper Springer, who has been away for nearly one year in the west, returned to his home here last week.

"Uncle" Billy Hayes, of Millinburg, was seen on our streets last week; same genial fellow, and has hosts of friends and acquaintances here.

Kessler, the clothing man, is in New York, buying his summer stock of goods, and will bring his wife with him on his return, she having arrived in New York a few weeks ago from the "Faderland."

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Too Bad.

At least two ugly falls have resulted from dangerous holes in some of the board walks within the past few weeks and there is no telling how soon the boro may have a damage suit under this state of official negligence. There have been dangerous holes for weeks in front of the bank, and the walk this side of Will Runkles has had dangerous holes for the past six weeks and getting worse; if any of our esteemed boro rulers were to slip thro any of the holes they would disappear forever, then who would repair the road for the pike company?

Our citizens should have care to electing officers who will care to attend to duty instead of how to annoy and wrong taxpayers.

Church Council Meeting.

A joint council meeting of the Centre Hall Lutheran church, will be held March 30th, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing a delegate to the conference and to attend to such other matters as may be for the welfare of the church. It is expected that all members of the joint council be present. J. H. SWARM, President. M. L. RISHEL, Secretary.

Lutheran Church Services.

Rev. W. H. Fahs, of Beaver Springs, will preach trial sermons in the Centre Hall Lutheran church as follows: Union church, Saturday evening, April 7th, at 7 p. m. Centre Hall, Sunday morning, 8th, at 10 a. m. Tusseyville, Sunday, 8th, at 2 p. m., Georges Valley, 7 p. m., and at Spring Mills, Monday evening, 9th at 7 p. m.

"The people of this vicinity insist on having Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and do not want any other," says John V. Bishop, of Portland Mills, Indiana. That is right. They know it to be superior to any other for colds, and for a preventive and cure for croup, and why should they not insist on having it. 50 cent bottles for sale by J. D. Murray, Druggist.

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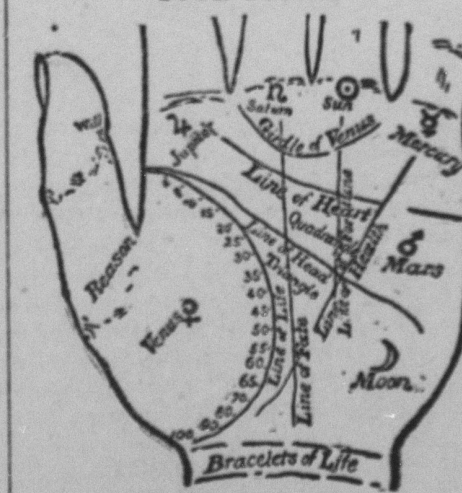
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YOUR FUTURE



IS IN YOUR OWN HAND.

Palmistry assumes to tell what the lines in your hand indicate. It will amuse you, if nothing more. The above diagram shows the lines of the hand, and the length of the LINE OF LIFE indicates probable age to which you will live. Each BRACELET represents your thirty years. Well-marked LINE OF HEAD denotes brain power; clear LINE OF FORTUNE, fame or riches. Both combined mean success in life; but you must keep up with modern ideas to win it. You will find plenty of these in Demorest's Family Magazine, so attractively presented that every member of the family is entertained. It is a dozen magazines in one. A CLEAR LINE OF HEART bespeaks tenderness; a straight LINE OF FATE, peaceful life; the reverse, crooked. A well-defined LINE OF HEALTH spurs you doctors' bills; so will the health hints in Demorest's. No other magazine publishes so many stories to interest the home circle. You will be subject to extremes of high spirits or despondency if you have the GIRDLE OF VENTURE well marked; keep up your spirits by having Demorest's Magazine to read. By subscribing to it for 1894 you will receive a GIRDLE OF VENTURE worth \$1.00 of great value, besides the superb premium picture, 12x18 inches, "I'm a Daisy" which is almost a real baby, and equal to the original oil painting which cost \$300; and you will have a magazine that cannot be equaled by any in the world for its beautiful illustrations and subject matter, that will keep you posted on all the topics of the day, and all the facts, and different items of interest about the household, besides furnishing interesting reading matter, both gay and gay, for the whole family; and while Demorest's is not a fashion magazine, its fashion pages are perfect, and you get with it, free of cost, all the patterns you wish to use during the year, and in any size you choose. Send in your subscription at once, only \$2.00, and you will really get over \$25.00 in value. Address the publisher, W. Jennings Demorest, 15 East 14th St., New York. If you are unacquainted with the Magazine, send for a specimen copy. A large GUARD-RANGLE means honesty; a large TRIANGLE, generosity; long FIRST DIVISION OF THUMB, strong will; LONG SECOND DIVISION, reason; long faculty. THE MOUNT OF JUPITER bestows wisdom; that of SATURN, prudence; the SUN, energy; the MARS, courage; MOON, imagination; VENUS, love of pleasure; and MERCURY, intelligence. Take our advice and see for yourself, it will be sure to possess the lot and most valuable quality.

PUBLIC SALE.—WILL BE SOLD AT THE residence of the undersigned, about one mile east of Penn Cave, on Wednesday, March 25th, the following articles: 2 work horses, 2 cows, 1 brood sow, 2 hogs, 3 sheep and several lambs, 2-horse wagon, spring wagon, buggy, road-cart, 2-horse sled, good farming mill, chaff-cutting, corn blaster, drill, Exobolus reaper, plows, harrows, corn scraper, cultivator, fodder cutter, harpoon hayfork with 100 feet rope and pulley, horse gears, bridles, saddles, log chains, cow chains, rakes and forks, household and kitchen furniture, Hathaway cooking stove, tennis stove, bedstead and bedding, tables, chairs, carpets, 3 clocks, good buffalo robe, meat vessels, tubs, apple butter, grind stone, and many other articles. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock sharp, when terms will be made known. WM. WEAVER. J. N. LEITZEL, Auc't.

PUBLIC SALE.—WILL BE SOLD AT THE residence of the undersigned, two miles east of Centre Hall, on Tuesday, March 27, the following articles: 1 yearling bull, Alderney stock, brood sow with pig, shoats, 2-horse wagons, 1 good as new, spring wagon, bob sled, good as new, grain drill, corn planter, mowing machine, harrow, spike tooth harrow, plows, horse gears, grind stone, good cooking stove and other articles. Sale to commence at one o'clock, when terms will be made known. LUCY AUMAN. David S. Seewood, auc't.

PUBLIC SALE.—WILL BE OFFERED AT public sale at the residence of the undersigned, 1/4 mile east of Old Fort, on Friday, March 25th: 3 head of horses, 2 good mares weighing 200 pounds, one a 6 year old the other a 3-year old, with foal; 1 yearling milk, 3 good milk cows, some will be fresh by time of sale, 20 Chesterwhite shoats, 3 Chesterwhite breeding sows, new Conklin wagon, 3/4 inch sheet new as new, spike tooth harrow, pair of hay ladders, 2-horse sled, new Oliver chilled 2-horse plow, South end 2-horse plow. Little Giant seed sower pitch forks, log chains, cow chains, singletrees, doubletrees, trippletrees, clevises, etc., set of big horses good as new, with bridles to mate, check lines, single lines, lead reins, the straps, horse collars, flynets, etc. Blacksmith forge, 2 anvils, and many other articles, also 3/4 of grain in ground. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, when terms will be made known. JOHN SNAVELY. WM. GOEHEEN, Auc't.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Centre county, there will be exposed to public sale on the premises, about one-half mile west of Tusseyville, on

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1894, at 9 o'clock a. m. sharp, the following described real estate of Jacob Mies, deceased, late of Potter township, to wit:

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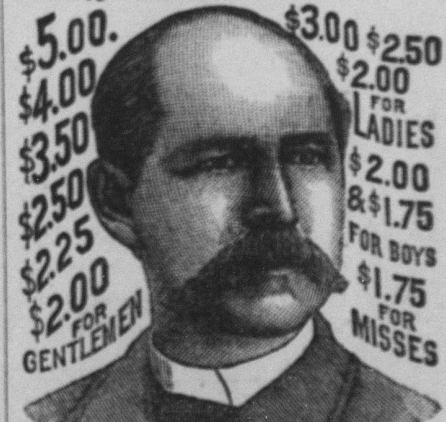
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