# CAPITOL NEWS

VIRGINIA ENTHUSIASTIC FOR BRY AN AND SEWALL.

Mr. Bryan's Speech Accepting the Demo cratic Nomination for President will be Delivered this Week.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10 .- Mr. Bryan's speech accepting the Democratic nomination for President, will be delivered this week at the monster notification meeting to be held in Madison Square Gardens, New York City, is just at present the most discussed political topic. That speech will be the foundation stone for the entire Democratic campaign, besides being an important factor in influencing the minds of many Democrats who have not fully decided whether they will support the ticket or bolt. Mr. Bryan's reputation as an orator is already made, but the way in which he interprets the Chicago platform in his speech of acceptance will fix in the minds of thousands, opponents as well as supporters, the round of the ladder of statesmanship upon which he is entitled to stand. No fears are entertained by those Democrats who know Mr Bryan about that speech. They are confident that he will make no mis-

The silver Democrats are in some instances not claiming as much as some of their opponents are willing to concede them. A prominent Democratic ex-Congressman, who is opposing Bryan, says he is certain that more Democrats will vote for Bryan this year than voted for Cleveland in 1892, yet he claims to believe that Bryan will be defeated. Every student of election figures knows that it was the falling off in the Republican votes, and not the increase in the Democratic votes, that elected Cleveland the last time, but all the same, if Bryan gets as many Democratic votes as Cleveland got, in addition to the Republican and Populist votes he will get, his election will be certain.

Senator Jones thus disposes of the early campaign liar's effort to show that hard feeling existed between himself and Gov. Altgeld, as the result of an exchange of communications: "I mane feelings, and much worth. When we parted after the convention. I had every reason to think that the simply a campaign fabrication."

astic for Bryan and Sewall than it has ocratic vote. been for a National ticket for a long time. Mr. Flood, of Appomattox, who will be elected to the next House in place of Representative Turner, says | Manord and Morton Hill of Hollidaysof the situation and prospects in the burg, aged 9 and 11 years respectively, state: "We will carry the Old Domin- are in jail at Bellefonte. A few days ion for Bryan by 40,000 majority. ago they came to the house of John There never was a candidate or plat- Henderson, in Taylor township, this form more to the liking of the people. | county, where they were allowed to In my district the enthusiasm among stay all night. The next morning Democrats grows daily in intensity, they started in the direction of Philand I think that the voters will break ipsburg, where, they alleged, they all records in November. It is pretty were going to visit friends. Soon after certain that Virginia will send a solid leaving the house it was discovered Democratic delegation to the next that a purse containing about \$100 was Congress, and every man of them will opened and about \$8.00 missing. A be for free silver." Senator Martin warrant was issued, and the boys were takes the same view of the Virginia arrested near Philipsburg. The youngoutlook and said of the country at er of the two acknowledged that he propositions, and never was anything large: "I think it is reasonable to con- had taken \$7.00, which he cheerfully else until nominated by the gold bugs. clude that the great popular wave in yielded. They were taken to Bellefavor of the Democratic nominees will fonte by the constable and the authornot subside. There are no causes in ities are investigating the history of sight to create a reaction."

Senator Martin is one of the Democrats who hopes that the call of the voting gold Democrats for a National Convention to meet at Indianapolis, Sept. 2, will result in the nomination of a gold Democratic ticket, not because he wishes to support it but because he believes that it would be of great benefit to Bryan by catching and seventy-five pounds of fresh beef, votes that would otherwise be cast for 19,575 pounds of ham, 52,000 pounds of crowds awaited the next President at McKinley, while it would not take a single vote away from Bryan.

The average Democrat echoes the words of Senator Faulkner, who, of coffee, 864 pounds of candles, 2,460 when he was told that a minor official in one of the government departments | 147 pounds of pepper, 62,000 pounds of had bolted Bryan and Sewall, quietly said: "That is his right; but did he resign the office which he owes to the Democratic party before bolting the Democratic salary after having bolted the nominees of the Democratic party.

Cider Making. first time this season.

BRYAN IN NEW YORK.

The Great Madison Square Augouncement Meeting-Acres of Men Turn Out to Greet the People's Champion.

Yesterday was one of the greatest to Mr. Bryan his nomination for President. He arrived in the city at 8.30 Tuesday evening, and rested at the residence of a friend. The throng at the station was simply immense.

As soon as the train had come to a full stop Mr. Bryan, Mrs. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Richard P. Bland, Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr, of Clearfield, John A. C. Creighton, member of the notification committee from Nebraska; J. T. Snyder, of Clearfield, H. V. Dively, and a number of other prominent men accompanied Mr. Bryan on his trip from Pittsburg to New York.

The Bryan train made short stops at all towns along the route thro the state, and everywhere there were immense crowds to greet him. At some points he made short speeches.

At Pittsburg the crowd was so great that two monster meetings were held, Bryan speaking at each.

Madison Square Garden, notwithstanding its immensity, was decorated beyond any thing heretofore and the scene before the assembled thousands was a brilliant one.

Mr. Bryan's speech of acceptance lasted an hour and forty minutes and was a clear and emphatic definition of his use of Senator Quay's name. Penthe principles enunciated by the Chicago Democratic platform, and was frequently interrupted by the wildest applause from the immense audience. Ladies waved their 'kerchiefs and parasols, men threw up their hats, pulled off their coats and swung them in the

grandest ever witnessed in New York. The gathering of the multitudes, on the trip between Kanses and New York, seemed to indicate that the masses were for Bryan and free silver.

In his speech Mr. Bryan touched upon every question at issue in this campaign and his declarations will make him still more popular with the American people.

## J. M. Fox, of Clarion for Congress With-

J. M. Fox, of Clarion, who was inhave not had a word of telegraphic or dorsed by that county for the Demomail correspondence with Gov. Alt- cratic nomination for Congress, has their canvass of Mark Hanna's promgeld, since the Chicago Convention. withdrawn. In a letter to County inence and the affiliations which he I had never met the Gov. until we Chairman Reinsel he gives as a reason naturally seeks here in New York. came together on the silver commit- that circumstances have changed since This mushroom millionaire boss is ortee at Chicago, and I am frank to say his indorsement, but it is rumored that ganizing the McKinley campaign as that my relations with him were not as he is opposed to free coinage of sil- he would organize an iron trust. He only extremely pleasant, but they gave ver, he could not support the Chicago goes to Pierpont Morgan for aid and me the opportunity of discovering that platform. This, it is reported, insures advice as to checking the silver movehe was a man of fine judgment, hu- the nomination of J. K. P. Hall, of

This would be quite a serious disappointment to Centre county Demofavorable impression that he made up- crats who endorsed Col. Spangler for on me was reciprocated. The story is congress under assurances that the no- rich and experienced fa'-friers. All mination would be conceded to this this renders unnecessarily absurd the Virginia is said to be more enthusi- county which has a commanding Dem- claim that the Republican party repre-

Youthful Violaters of the Law.

Two boys giving their names as the boys as related by them.

## What the Soldiers Ate.

The following figures furnished by Colonel Curtin, the Division Commissary, show the total amount of rations issued to Camp Gibbon at Lewistown during the recent encampment: Fif- Castle Garden meeting was held to in- will unite the warring factions in the a brother and sister were with her. ty-four thousand and three hundred form him of his nomination. He spoke state. soft bread, 13,050 pounds of hard bread all stations, and gave him the warm- was taken very ill with bloody flux. 7.830 pounds of beans, 10,440 pounds of est greetings. sugar, 2,910 pounds of rice, 7,000 pounds pounds of soap, 5,282 pounds of salt, potatoes, 3,915 pounds of onions, 2,784 two pound cans of corn, and three barrels of vinegar. This, of course, does not include the extras purchased for

-The Philad. Branch, in their new On Tuesday next, 18th, the Shook's The stock is all new and up-to-date, place, will be put in operation for the then every deal is made satisfactory or money returned.

HASTINGS FOR THE SENATE.

The Patriot says: Governor Hastings will take the place of J. Donald Cameron in the United States senate in the history of New York city, being ent combination. This is now as cerif he is not defeated by an independthe occasion for officially announcing tain as anything can be in Pennsylvania politics. Senator Quay has picked out the governor for his colleague and there is every reason to believe the next legislature will ratify his choice. If general Hastings is elected he will be the only governor in this commonwealth who made the gubernatorial office a stepping stone to the senate. The late Governor Curtin tried it and was beaten by General Simon Camer-

> While Governor Hastings has given no formal notice of his aspirations to succeed Cameron his friends are quietly forming a complete organization through the state. They have already secured promises of support from several legislative nominers. The governor will not formally announce his candidacy. This will not deter him, however, from making a quiet and active canvass for the nomination and election of legislators friendly to his

With the potent aid of Senator Quay it looks as if nothing but a Democratic legislature or an independent combination can defeat Governor Hastings. His strongest competitor is Senator Penrose, whose strength lies in rose insists that he has the support of the Beaver statesman. On the other hand the governor's friends declare Colonel Quay is committed to the executive and will come out for him openly after the Republican primaries air. The ovation was the greatest and Crawford, is directing Penrose's canin Philadelphia. Senator Andrews, of vass with the assistance of ex-Magistrate Durham.

It is believed that Penrose will drop out of the contest if Senator Quay declares for Hactings. This would leave the field to "Jack" Robinson and John Wanamaker.

THE New York World has no sympathy to waste on McKinley, even if that paper is opposed to free silver, as the following criticism of McKinley's manager, Mark Hanna, wi'l show:

"The Republican politicians seem to be singularly blind to the effect upon ment, which that eminent financier did more than any other man to create. He has installed Matt Quay and Powell Clayton as lieutenants, and appointed an executive committee of patriotism and moral sentiment of the

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Everybody glad. Bryan's address of acceptance will

Bryan dont drink liquor, dont chew

Remember, when McKinley was in congress he voted for all the free silver

State Chairman Wright having rehaving previously served in that capa-

east, last Friday, and reached New ler to the chairmanship, and endorse remains were taken to Spring Mills from sunstroke in Chicago. York on Wednesday, where the great his candidacy on the grounds that he for interment. During her last illness at a few cities along the route, large

From all sections of the country we have accounts of deaths by sunstroke on Sunday last. Men and animals suffered from the great heat.

From Sire to Son. regular Democratic ticket?" It does the various headquarters and compator that some man the various headquarters and compator that the various headquarters are the various headquarters and compator that the various headquarters are the various headquarters and compator that the various headquarters are the various headquarters and compator that the various headquarters are the various headquarters are the various headquarters are the various headquarters and compator that the various headquarters are the va room, Bellefonte, now carry a larger stock than any two stoces in the town. Headache, Rheumatism, etc., this stock than any two stoces in the town. Grand specific will cure you. R. E. Spring Mills, S. M. Swariz, Tussey-ville, and R. E. Bartholomew, Centre ware River Bridge Route the only all ware River Bridge Route the only all cider press at Luse's planing mill, this and the prices are away down. And Long, Spring Mills, are sole agents and are distributing samples free. Large packages 50c. and 25c.

# FOR HARMONY

COL. JACK SPANGLER TO BE CHOSEN STATE CHAIRMAN.

Harrity Resigns, and Spangler Will be Able to Quiet the Elements and Keep Harmony in the Party.

Chairman Harrity, of the State Democratic committee sent in his resignation a few days ago, and the state committee meets today, Thursday, at Harrisburg, to elect his successsr.

Col. Spangler is a candidate for the office of State chairman of the Democratic committee and the friends of both the Harrityites and the anti-Harrityites will endeavor to seat him because of his neutrality.

James Kerr, John K. Lenahan and John M. Garman, of Luzerne, have indicated their desire to have the place. It is thought all will be able to unite on Spangler, as a majority of the other candidates are said to represent classes of the state Democracy.

Mr. Spangler's name has been identified with silver to no small extent since the action of the Chicago convention in declaring for the white metal. He was one of the first to make a stand for the action of the national delegates. He has been prominently connected with Democratic politics for ten years now, and while he is regarded as an admirer of William F. Harrity he is a friend to and a business associate of James Kerr, and for these reasons it is thought his election would meet with the approbation of everyone, and his knowledge of the state workers would likely contribute to a union of forces in this state.

Col. Spangler is the eldest son of ex-Sheriff John Spangler, of Centre Hall, and was born in Adamsburg, Snyder county, in 1349. He attended the common schools of Centre Hall. He graduated from the Dicksonian seminary at Williamsport in 1871. In the latter part of the same year he entered the law office of Orvis & Alexander, where he studied for three years, and was admitted to the bar of Centre county in January of 1874. During the summer of the same year he was nominated and elected district attorney. He filled out the full term and withdrew from the contest in 1877 because his father was on the Democratic ticket for sheriff of the same county. He continued the practice of law for some time later, at times alone, and subsequently as the senior member of the

firm of Spangler & Hewes. During the celebrated campaign of 1880 Mr. Spangler was chairman o the Democratic county committee of Centre county. Then and not since has any Democratic nominee for the presidency received the vote brought out in Centre county that year. General Hancock had 996 votes to the good. Colonel Spangler was chosen by his county for congressman from sents in this election gil the honesty, by Governor Curtin, who had been a the district in 1890, but was defeated candidate for three successive years. Centre county endorsed him as their nominee for Congressional honors at the last convention, and the nomina-The cool wave predicted has set in. tion for the district is likely to fall his

In the fall of 1887 he became interput a sweeter ring in silver in the ears ested in the coal fields abounding in the north-western section of Cambria county, and interested several wellor smoke, and dont swear, these are known citizens from the central part vices he has ever shunned. We think of the state in the field. 'The Bluebak- may elect, but is guilty of negligence he does not harbor the vice of wanting er coal company was formed through to ruin the country as his enemies his efforts. The company is now the hicle. And the fact that a vehicle is possessor of 12,000 acres of the best coal land in the anthracite region.

In Bellefonte he became interested in real estate, and is a stockholder in the Hastings improvement company. Later he bucame interested in the Spangler improvement company, and signed the probabilities are that Hon. as a mark of recognition for his work James Kerr will be elected Chairman in this corporation the town on the

Prominent Democrats in all parts of the state have expressed themselves as duced by a complication of diseases. Candidate Bryan started on his trip favorable to the election of Col. Spang- She was about twenty years old. Her

My hade boy, when two years of age I was advised to use Chamberlain's Col'c, Cho'era and Diarrhoea Remedy, and lockily procured part of a bottle. I carefull / lead the directions and gave it accordingly. He was very low, but slowly and surely he began to improve, gradually recovered, and is now as

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## CATTLE DIE MYSTERIOUSLY.

A Disastrous Contagion Breaks Out in This County

A disease is spreading among the cattle in this county. What it is no one seems to know and as yet no remedy has been found that has proven capable of curing it. The cattle first become lame and their legs begin to swell; the swelling gradually extends hotter'n hotter. over the whole body and finally results in death.

In Rush township the disease has broken out worse than in any other section of the county and the dairymen and owners of cattle are at their wits' end to know what the disease is and to devise some means of checking it and saving their cattle. The farmors in that section are afraid to use the milk for fear of communicating the disease to human beings and are even feet. unable to feed their stock for the same

The work of this peculiar disease is tent? fast and sure. There has as yet not been a single instance where the cattle have been attacked that they recovered, and now, when the disease has once appeared in the cattle, they the mad dog obstacle in shipping cows are given up as lost and the owners east, worn off. consider it almost useless to waste time and expense in trying to save them. In the majority of cases the cattle have died within twenty-four hours after they have once shown any symptoms of the disease. So prevaent has the disease become that it is no unusual occurrence for the farmers to take their cows to pasture at night and find one or two dead in the morning. In some cases the cattle at the time of death were swollen to almost twice their original size. They apparently suffer little or no pain before they die. Owing io the disease being so quick in its operation there has been but little chance to experiment on any of the cattle after they are once attacked. It is thought the disease is contagious and was brought here by a herd of cattle shipped from the south.

### Bicycle Laws.

The bicycle season is now open, and it would be well for riders to be famil-

iar with the laws on the question: 1. Municipal corporations or cities are liable to a bicyclist for injuries in- their first lessons in bicycle riding and curred by reason of defective, i. e., un- the wobbling was amusing. guarded embankments, a deep rut, a large stone, provided he is not guilty of contributory negligence. A city is under no special obligation to wheelmen and the defect must be such as to cause injury to vehicles in general. A bicyclist injured while riding on Sunday for pleasure or on business cannot recover damages in states where Sun-

day laws are in force. 2. A wheelman has a right of action against the driver or owner of a vehicle who wilfully or negligently causes a collision or damage to his wheel while left standing by the roadside or street curb; it is the duty of the wheelman, however, to avert the collision, if possible, and he cannot recover damages if his own negligence is the proximate cause of the injury complained

3. A traveler riding on the left hand side of the road probably assumes all risks and is prima facie guilt of negli-

4. Sidewalks are exclusively for foot passengers, but a foot passenger has a right to walk in the highway and he likely to get left. is entitled to cross the street where he if he attempts to cross ahead of a veon the wrong side of the road is no evidence of negligence in action for injury to a pedestrian.

## Death of a Young Lady.

Miss Lillian, Clark, whose home was at Spring Mills, Centre county, but had resided with different families in this place for some time past, died on tion, in whose family she was being kindly cared for during an illness pro-Lewistown Free Press.

## Lutheran Picnic.

The Lutheran Sunday school are holding their annual picnic in the Fort woods today. The weather is cool and there may be a good sized crowd in attendance.

ny gives a choice of seaside points for vere and dangerous as Asiatic cholera. As a Family Medicine Bacon's Cele- sion; and sirong as ever. I feel sure it Excursion August 20th, Atlantic City, Heretofore the best efforts of the most ry King for the nerves passes from sire Remedy half its worth. I am sorry Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood and Hollis ravages, this remedy, however, has saved his life. I never cau praise the Cape May, Sea Isle City, Ocean City, skilled physicians have failed to check ney, Liver or Blood disorder get a free how good it is, as I do.—Mrs. Lina S. most popular takes the crowd. Pass- of children and adults, and under the sample package of this remedy. If Hinton, G. hamsville, Marion Co., engers desiring to go through same most trying conditions, which proves you have Indigestion, Constipation, Florida. For sale by Win. Pealer, day can avoid the transfer through it to be the best medicine in the world

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Avoid being guilty of spiteful deeds. Luce's new hydrants are meeting with favor.

Home Notes.

Get the Reporter for the campaign, only 20 cents.

Farmers had a slip of good weather to get in their oats.

Since our last it has been getting Capt. Bill Runkle intends running

a dray to and from the station. Glad to say the army worm didn't

get in any big licks in this county.

This burg is getting to be considera-

ble of a bicycle town, for both sexes. It will be a wise move to take the Reporter for the campaign—only 20 et. A pick and shovel brigade is at work cutting down the hill at Kerlin's four

The pic-nic is near enough to almost hear the voice of the fakir. Will you

Sunday was the hottest; the evening was all blow and thunder but little pour. Our dealers, Slack and McCoy, find

Colyer is having the cellar dug for

another new house this side the station. Colyer is all enterprise. Sewing machines, organs, pianos

and bicyles are to be found in nearly every home in the land. Johnny Hosterman is one of our

most expert bicycle riders, while John Vanpelt would take the cake in horsemanship.

Said a fellow the other day, "Centre Hall has the most dressy folks of any little town in the state." All right if all paid for. Last week was a scorcher all thro,

and shirt sleeves were out. Friday afternoon thunder showers visited some neighborhoods. In this county the defection of Democrats to McKinley and gold is insignificant; but it is a fact that Republi-

cans are turning to Bryan and silver The vicinity of the Reporter office on last Saturday forenoon was the scene of several young ladies taking

To-day, Thursday, there is a break in the heat; thunder showers in all direstions yesterday afternoon, with some hail; Spring Mills had quite a shower and some hail, while here there was barely enough rain to lay the dust. The hot spell, most likely, is

WE never knew an issue to be so universally discussed by the American people as the silver question. They are reading it up, thinking over it and neighbor is discussing it with neighbor. That's right, and reason it like men, and vote your honest sentiments in November; that will constitute the patriot and true citizen and the country will be safe.

## State Items.

In Philadelphia, on Sunday, there were twenty-one deaths by sun-stroke. Besides there were about 50 cases taken to the hospital for treatment. Clinton county Republicans went

for Harvey for congress. Leonard is

Quite a number of barns in different parts of the state have lately been destroyed by fire caused by lightning.

## Bucknell University.

Bucknell University, John Howard Harris, LL. D., President. College with four courses of study leading to degrees; Academy for boys and young men; Ladies' Institute, and School of Music. Thirty acre campus; ten buildings including gymnasium, laboratory of the Democratic State Central Com- west branch of the Susquehanna river Harry Brooks, below Lewistown june- Gretzinger, Registrar, Lewisburg, Pa. and observatory. For catalogue and july30-4t

## Deaths from Sunstroke.

On Sunday last there were 39 deaths In and around New York there were

112 deaths from sunstroke on Monday. In St. Louis there were 119 deaths from sunstroke from Aug. 1 to 9.

Since 1878 there have been nine epidemics of dysentery in different parts of the country in which Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was used with perfect success. Dysen-The Pennsylvania Railroad Compa- tery when epidemic, is almost as serail line from points in Pennsylvania. Swartz, Tusseyville, and R. E. Bartholomew, Centre Hall.

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