

LEHIGH, PA., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1885.

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THOMAS A. ARMSTRONG, the Pittsburg Greenback Labor agitator, says John Sherman is no Protectionist or friend of American labor; that he is a traitor to American industries...

With the understanding that he would accept the position, Governor Pattison Monday commissioned Charles B. Bucklew, of Columbia county, State Supreme Court reporter for five years...

THE GOVERNOR OF WASHINGTON TERRITORY, in his report to the Secretary of the Interior, gives the population of the Territory as 129,488...

will the Republican Senators, with their majority of eight, vote away the possible political advantage which the hand of death holds out before them?

"WHAT TOMMY DID."—John Haberton author of "Helen's Babies" says: "What Tommy Did" would be worthy of the serious consideration of parents...

Broadbrim's New York Letter. Special to the Carbon Advocate.

It is a gratification to know if we are growing lax in our morals, we are improving our manners; and the gentleman who wrote American notes about forty years ago would have to travel some distance on the American continent to find his originals to-day.

THE RAILROAD GAZETTE reports the construction of 75 miles of new railroad, making a total of 2829 miles this far this year...

DR. SHAW, writing the Medical Times from Water Gap, where poisonous snakes abound, says that during the past six years, in which he has followed out a method of cure for snake bite...

THE THIRD ASSISTANT POSTMASTER General, in his annual report, says that the total postal revenue during the fiscal year, which ended June 30th last, was \$42,500,847...

ATTENTION is called by the Coal Trade Journal, in an elaborate article, to the fact that the value of water as an aid to blasting, when used in connection with explosives...

CONTRARY to the usual rule, public interest in the meeting of the new Congress centers at the Senate end of the Capitol. Even if there were to be a lively contest over the election of a Speaker, that event, important as it always is, would be overshadowed by the greater political and dramatic interest which the circumstances lend to the Senate's choice of a presiding officer...

It is not that such a bill, introduced by Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts, passed the Senate in 1884, and failed in the House. But at that time the Administration was Republican. Mr. Cleveland had not been elected, and the Democracy had not come into power. Will Mr. Hoar introduce his bill again under the present circumstances? It is impossible to tell.

wonderful feat. But the glory of the day was over and the merry-making there will be no contest for the Speakership. The death of Mr. James G. Wickersham, the doorkeeper of the last Congress, creates the only vacancy in the list of officers to be elected.

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Memory is weighed down with very vivid recollections of first experience in the tobacco business. Many men who once were boys have similar recollections. It doesn't take a large quantity of the manufactured weed, you know, to make a fortunate man, to be copper-lined.

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"The most popular, eloquent, humorous and vigorous lecturer we have before the American Public," Col. L. F. Copeland, at the County Institute in the School Hall, Lehigh, Thursday evening, Nov. 27th. Subject: "What are some people." The following are a few of hundreds of like testimonials at our disposal:

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