

THE RACKET

You would hardly think

It necessary for us to buy 800 boxes of Men's Childrens and Ladies underwear, for first delivery to properly supply our trade, but its a fact. Buying large quantities for cash gives us bottom prices, and U get the benefit.

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That we just unpacked 4000 handkerchiefs. One purchase, a bargain of course—U get the benefit.

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That we buy hosiery in lots of 3,000 pairs, but its a fact—U get the benefit.

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That we buy first quality. Candee, Woonsocket, Colchester and Looming rubbers, Boots and Overshoes for men, women and children, in 100 box lots, but its a fact—U get the benefit.

25 Years of Hustling.

One continual sound of hustling gives us the points. Kom & C.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

—Mrs. Walker's boarding house, at Clarence, was destroyed by fire, on Sunday.

—A sewer pipe leading from the jail to connect with the pipe at the court house is being laid this week.

—There are still a few cases of diphtheria in town. Last week Fred. Dunham's family was stricken by the death of two children.

—The new sign, a large clock on the corner, at Blair's jewelry store, is not a dummy, but a genuine time keeper. The hands move.

—Deer hunting does not appear to pan out as well this year as formerly. Very few have been killed this season by our hunters.

—Betting on the election has not been very brisk this year. A few trifling stakes have been put up here during the past week.

—The slate roof on the Lutheran church was completed this week and the scaffolding torn away. The building will be completed this fall.

—The Undine Hose company will hold a ball in the Bush Arcade on Thanksgiving eve. They have engaged excellent music for the occasion.

—The Epworth League, of Central Pennsylvania, hold their annual convention at Harrisburg this week. The opening session began on Tuesday.

—Mr. F. O. Hosterman, merchant at Feidler, this county, called on Monday He reports Haines township in first class shape and promises a large democratic vote from that section.

—Henry Gentzel's new barn, in Spring township, which is to take the place of the one destroyed by fire last summer, will be raised this Thursday on the same foundation of the former building.

—Miss Sue Holter and Eva Robb, two young ladies of Coleville, succeeded in soliciting enough money to purchase a new organ for the Methodist church at that place, and it was formally presented to the congregation on Sunday.

—The Undine hose company are thingering seriously of purchasing a new steamer; they have a nice sum of money in their treasury for that purpose. From the recent fires, our people have learned to appreciate the value of a steamer.

—We acknowledge an invitation from S. T. Frain, proprietor of the Crawford House, Williamsport, to participate in a Commercial Men's Free Banquet, at that house, Friday evening, Nov. 11th. Mr. Frain knows how to entertain and has been quite successful.

—Mr. R. A. Beck, Bellefonte's prominent tonsorial artist, climbed the "golden stairs" leading the spacious parlors of the CENTRE DEMOCRAT office, on Tuesday, where he interviewed the editor and made sure that his subscription was paid in advance before leaving.

—Mr. Geo. Hoover, of Stormstown, called to renew his subscription on Monday. Mr. Hoover is one of the many democratic soldiers who returned from the late war bearing serious wounds. He says Grover Cleveland is the soldier's friend, but many are misled into believing otherwise.

—Political meetings are held each night until the close of the campaign by the democrats of Centre county. From the attendance in the different localities the voters are aroused in every section and a large vote will be polled. Chairman Schaeffer has been hard at work during the campaign and with the assistance of the corps of able speakers Centre county will surely give Grover a big majority.

—The Salisbury Md. Standard says W. P. Humes, of Bellefonte, Pa., was in that vicinity last week looking after his mineral interests. Humes owns about 6,000 acres of mountain land, a few miles west of town, which is underlaid with valuable deposits of coal and fire clay. J. N. Davis reports the finding of several large veins of coal on this tract, which he says will be shafted in the near future.

TO THE OLD SOLDIER.

A FEW FACTS THAT SHOULD DISPEL PREJUDICE

Some of the Soldiers of 1860-4 who were Democrats—Loyal, Patriotic Citizens who Admire and will Vote for Cleveland—What Cleveland has Done for the Old Soldiers—A True Friend.

Again we are at the close of another presidential campaign, and ere another fortnight has rolled by this country will have made a selection for its highest official, and will have approved or disapproved of the policy of laying a tax on one individual, for the purpose of paying tribute to another.

The issues of this campaign involve the economical questions of barter and trade, and the constitutional rights for conducting the same. They are questions which affect the prosperity of democrats and republicans alike, but as 90 per cent of the American voters are bound together by political associations and blinded by party zeal and prejudices, it remains for the few thoughtful, independent leaders to strike for reforms, and after the pathway is broadened the common masses usually follow after of their own accord.

In the struggle now pending, the democratic party is on the aggressive and is boldly and fearlessly battling for a reform which it knows to be just and right and for that reason it finally will triumph. Grover Cleveland's appeal in 1887 for tariff reform was not understood and it brought the defeat of 1888, but four years of education have wrought about a change and victory appears to be in store for 1892.

In all their desperation to retain their hold upon the government, the republicans have gone far from the main issues, for the purpose of working upon the feelings of the old soldiers, to prejudice their minds by reciting events of the war and picturing to their minds that the republican party alone subdued the rebellious South, and that all democrats, then and now, are rebels, or in sympathy with that cause. They charge democrats with being "soldier haters" hurrahing for Cleveland, who has no sympathy for the heroes of the late war.

In a recent article we showed how the republicans sent a Nebraska republican to Durham, N. C., to arouse the prejudices of northern soldiers against Cleveland. They next misquoted Gen. Sickles, at Washington, as bitterly denouncing Cleveland. They have distorted pension records, all for the purpose of capturing the soldier vote for Harrison and that party.

Facts and public records disprove all their campaign documents sent to the old soldiers.

Go to the war records, and on those sacred pages you will find that the following are a few of the many thousand patriotic democrats of the north who participated in that struggle, and who are known to nearly every soldier in this land.

- Gen. Geo. B. McClellan.
Gen. Winfield S. Hancock.
Gen. Wm. B. Franklin.
Gen. Fitz John Porter.
Gen. Franz Sigel.
Gen. Phil Kearney.
Gen. Geo. Gordon Meade.
Gen. John F. Reynolds.
Gen. E. O. C. Ord.
Gen. Wm. McCandless.
Gen. Joseph Hooker.
Gen. Don Carlos Buell.
Gen. Wm. S. Rosecrans.
Gen. Geo. H. Thomas.
Gen. W. S. McClernand.
Gen. H. H. Slocum.
Gen. Daniel E. Sickles.
Gen. John M. Palmer.
Gen. Meagher, of the Irish Brigade.
Gen. Jno. M. Corse, of Allatoona.
Gen. John C. Black.
Gen. Edward Bragg.
Gen. Martin McMahon.
Gen. Thomas Welsh.

These are only a few of the great army of democrats who enlisted in the northern army and arose to distinction. Come right back to Pennsylvania and you will find in this state many more.

The following went to the war as democrats, and those living are not "Union Soldier Haters" but will vote for Cleveland. Glance at them comrades. Their names have a familiar sound:

- Col. Ross Hartsorn, of the Bucktails.
Col. Bruce Hickotts, of the Reserves.
Capt. J. H. Cooper, of Cooper's Battery.
Col. Cooper Talley, of the Reserves.
Capt. Bob Taggart, of the Reserves.
Maj. H. S. Lucas, of the Reserves.
Capt. Geo. H. Parker, of the Reserves.
Capt. Geo. W. Skinner, of Fulton.
Capt. and Senator Hannibal Sloan, of Indiana.
Capt. and Senator Wm. Penn Lloyd, of Cumberland.
Capt. and ex-Senator Wagner, of Cumberland.
Col. E. P. Doehert, Col. Ranes, Maj. Veale, Capt. W. H. Barclay and Col. J. P. Nicholson (the head and front of the Loyal Legion) of Philadelphia.
Col. Frank J. McGee, Col. Levi Maish and Capt. Frank Geise, of York.
Gen. W. H. H. Davis, of Bucks.
Capt. A. A. Clay, of Elk.
Hon. W. T. Ziegler, of Adams.
Gen. H. E. Guss and Capt. Geo. Guss, of Chester.
Capt. E. H. Ranch, of Carbon.
H. F. Mann, Chairman of Democratic Northumberland.
Maj. Grant Weidman, of Lebanon.
Col. Sam Wilson, of the Eighth (Pa.) Cavalry.
Capt. Horace L. Haldeman, of Lancaster.
And all of Gov. Pattison's Adjutant Generals, the late lamented McClelland, Gen. Guthrie and Gen. Greenland (Compiled by W. Hayes Greer, of Columbia, Pa.)

And it is through the kindness of that venerable fellow citizen, that world renowned War Governor, Hon. A. G. Curtin, the truest friend the soldiers ever had, that the above list came into our possession. Though age has impaired his former activity, he is still solicitous for the welfare of every soldier whom he called upon in 1860 to bear arms in the defence of his country. He said "I want you to publish this list in your paper. Oh, if you come to my house I could read you columns of names of democratic soldiers in 1890.

Why there were entire companies of them organized and none fought better or braver."

The aged War Governor became intensely in earnest when he spoke of the impositions being practiced upon the old veterans, by unprincipled politicians, to invade their order, the G. A. R., and to make them believe that all the good that was accomplished by the war was done alone by one political party. Gov. Curtin considers Grover Cleveland as true a friend as the soldier ever had and believes he will be elected too, as he granted more pensions than his predecessors and the administration of the pension department was clean and honorable—a striking contrast with that of the past four years under the Raums and Tanners.

In this connection it may not be amiss to mention a few of the appointments, as prepared by the Locomotive, made by President Cleveland, showing his disposition:

"William F. Vilas, who went into the war a private and came out a colonel, he made Postmaster General; the gallant general, John C. Black, whose body was filled with confederate lead, he made Commissioner of Pensions; General Martin T. McMahon he appointed United States Marshal for the southern district of New York; General W. S. Rosecrans he chose for Registry of the Treasury; sturdy Franz Sigel was made Collector of Internal Revenue; Gen. Charles Denby was appointed Minister to China; General Edward Bragg was twice tendered an important office; gallant General Henry E. Lovering, who left a leg on a southern battlefield, was made United States Marshal at Boston; for postmaster in the same city he selected General John M. Corse, who from top of Allatoona sent down the thrilling and defiant message: 'I have lost one ear and a part of one cheek, but can lick all hell yet'; he made General Charles W. Roberts, Collector of the Port of Bangor, and Captain Cummings, postmaster of the same city; he appointed Colonel William E. Morrison an Inter-State Commerce Commissioner; Gen. W. H. H. Davis, U. S. Pension Agent at Philadelphia, and Capt. W. H. Barclay, U. S. Pension Agent at Pittsburg.

These are but a few of the Union veterans whom Mr. Cleveland selected for important positions of honor and trust. Hundreds of minor positions were filled by him with veteran soldiers of the Union army, to say nothing of the large number who were appointed by cabinet officers and heads of departments. The true soldier never had a better friend than Grover Cleveland."

ANOTHER CONFLAGRATION.

A Dangerous Fire on Sunday Morning Threatened the Town.

Our people were aroused from their slumbers at about 1.30 on Sunday morning by the cries of fire. The sky was brilliantly illuminated by the flames which arose from the stables at the rear of the New Bush Arcade.

The fire started in an old ice house, from which it soon spread to an old oil ware house, formerly used by Valentine & Co's. store, and then the stables of Mrs. Bush, Dr. R. G. Hayes and Daniel Garrison, all frame structures, burned to the ground. A heavy wind set in from the west which carried the burning sparks over the south ward. Burning shingles came down on the roofs of the buildings like a blinding snow storm. Brockerhoff's feed store roof caught and caused much trouble to put out. Several buildings along Bishop street were afire. Every property owner was on his roof-top with buckets.

The great heat from the burning stables set fire to the Arcade building. The old section caught at the edge of the roof and burned lively, but the heroic work from the attic with a small hose kept it down. Nearly all the window glasses were broken and the sash and sills were burned away.

The Logan steamer sent a line of hose along the back of this building and by hard work in the face of the great heat this building, one of the handsomest business blocks in the town, was rescued by the Logan firemen.

The Undine firemen did noble work in saving James Schofield's and W. T. Meyer's stores and the buildings back that alleyway. The heavy smoke almost suffocated them as they kept their streams playing upon the different buildings when they caught fire and endangered all property beyond.

Dr. Hayes' handsome brick residence stood right in the path of the flames; it caught fire frequently on the roof and at last gained headway enough to get under the roof. By this time the occupants, Dr. Hayes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keller, had most of their furniture removed and the firemen turned all force upon this building. The double roof made it very difficult to reach, but after the upper roof fell in, the four heavy streams got the fire under control and then all danger was over.

THE LOSSES. Dr. Hayes' residence is badly ruined but was fully covered by insurance. Harry Keller estimates his loss at about \$75 on household furniture, on which there was no insurance.

Garman's stable was insured for \$500, but they lost five sleighs, two carriages, several buggies and other goods on which there was no insurance. All of Mrs. Bush's property was insured but her loss will be near \$1,000. Dr. Hayes' stable was fully insured.

Too much credit cannot be given to our firemen for their heroic work. The steamer saved the Bush Arcade, and in this single fire paid for itself a dozen times over. Supt. Ryan demonstrated what the new pumps, at the water works, could do in an emergency. There was plenty of water, under high pressure, from the plugs all the time.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Persons seen loitering about these buildings that evening, who had been drinking, it is supposed that they carelessly dropped a match that caused the fire.

HOMESTEAD BOODLE!

WANNAMAHER, CARNEGIE AND FRICK.

Wannamaker to the Rescue—Raising a new Corruption Fund—Consulting with the Homestead people—Frick and Carnegie to buy the vote.

The condition of affairs politically in the state of Pennsylvania, has seriously alarmed the "party of moral ideas," and the determination of Quay to do nothing but look after the Legislature in his own interest, compels the Harrison wing to take a hand. Mr. Wannamaker, who is a great collector of funds in the interest of honest elections, and whose position in the Sunday School Association compels him to remain in ignorance concerning the particulars of their disbursements, sees danger to the protective policy by which he has so largely benefited. Allegheny county is in a condition of revolt against Carnegie and the shot gun policy. The protection policy is not the policy of the people, and they are declaring against that particularly unjust and obnoxious form of taxation so emphatically, that State Chairman Reeder is in a frightful state of bewilderment and dismay. His frantic appeal has aroused the pious Mr. Wannamaker to a sense of danger as a federal office-holder and favored protectionists and, casting aside all considerations of Civil Service Reform, he has started out to raise another such a fund as he "saved the country" with four years ago. And he will put it into the hands of the ungedly but practical politicians, and will "not require where every cent of it is spent."

On Monday night, at Pittsburg, he had a very short, sharp, and decisive interview with Mr. Frick, the Homestead Manager, and a number of prominent Pittsburg protectionists. The interview took place in the Postmaster's private car. He had intended to stop at Pittsburg, but the news of the death of Mrs. Harrison compelled him to change his plans and go on to Washington. The full particulars of what transpired, can not be gathered from any of the parties, but enough has leaked out to make it plain that the good Mr. Wannamaker expressed the greatest surprise at the terrible position of the party at Allegheny, and regretfully admitted that, since the majority was past praying for, it was absolutely necessary to raise more money for the wicked politicians to get "an honest election" with. That the good Mr. Wannamaker himself, headed the list, and that he left it with Mr. Frick and his friends to fill up, seems to be accepted as a fact. And that Frick (who had a profit of over \$3,000,000 on one job under the McKinley bill) subscribed liberally for Carnegie, goes without saying.

Now when the good Mr. Wannamaker goes to gathering funds to continue the present system of Tariff taxation, the voters who know what was done with the last fund of \$400,000 the good man raised for this purpose, may well ask themselves the question: "Is the Presidency to be purchased by Protected manufacturers money?"

Let the honest vote of the country—the vote that Wannamaker funds can never buy—answer this question at the polls.

Service and Worth.

We are abreast of the times and in advance of the seasons bringing in the finest stock of Fall and Winter Clothing. The dollar you spend with us goes farther, lasts longer, gets more style, more quantity, more quality, and does you more good, in service worth and wear than money spent elsewhere. Our goods and prices now waiting for your inspection, will prove this.

SAMUEL LEWIN, Clothier.

Foot Ball.

The Penna. State College foot ball team will play the following games this season: Nov. 5th, East End at Pittsburg; Nov. 12th, Bucknell University at State College; Nov. 23d, Lafayette College at Wilkesbarre; Nov. 24th, Dickinson College at Harrisburg and on Nov. 26th, Lehigh University will be played up at the College.

Corn Dry.

The corn being husked in the fields is very dry, and when thrown down the grains are dislodged from the ear and there is a little loss. It is a rare occurrence. The dry weather has its bad effects on the husks, as farmers say that in husking the husks cut their wrists like so many knife blades.

The Mother is Dead.

Mrs. Grundy, the woman who shot and killed her drunken husband near Osceola a short time ago, is dead: Her twin babies died last week and now the mother has followed her little ones. Four deaths were caused in this instance by a drunken man's brutality.

Bellefonte Fencibles.

This Thursday evening the surviving members of the old Bellefonte Fencibles, which was organized in 1858, will hold a reunion in the Gregg Post rooms. About one half are still living. Gov. Curtin was captain of the organization at that time.

—B. A. Noll & Co's. store, at Zion, is attracting trade from all directions. They handle reliable goods and sell at reasonable prices. That is the keynote of their success.

FAUBLE'S

NEW STORES

What's the matter with an Overcoat that is all wool--for style and make not surpassed--price not equalled; our \$10 coat is just that article.

SEE IT!

FAUBLE'S

Brockerhoff House Block.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Issued During the Past Week—Taken From the Docket.

- Reuben J. Snively, Coburn.
Ellen J. Fryer, Coburn.
Allen J. Everett, Coburn.
Eva A. Wetzel, Millheim.
T. E. Vonada, Harris twp.
A. Vonada, Harris twp.
Wm. Cunningham, Jr., Philipsburg.
Bertha K. Forchey, Philipsburg.
Wm. B. Comer, Spring twp.
Mattie Huly, Bellefonte.
W. H. Derstine, Snow Shoe.
Ella Linn, Snow Shoe.
Henry O. Feidler, Feidler.
Dorcy M. Musser, Feidler.

Fire in Bauer's Store.

On Monday evening at about 9:30 o'clock smoke was discovered coming from the cellar under Bauer's grocery store, on Allegheny street. The alarm brought the different companies on the scene in short order, and four streams from the engines and the plugs were turned in the cellar. It was necessary to effect an entrance through the rear of the building and by going down the steps amid dense clouds of smoke the fire was located among a lot of oil barrels and about the joists of the floor, a well directed stream soon extinguished it and all danger was over.

The store room goods were badly damaged by smoke. Ed. Garman's store and Joseph Brother's carpet rooms suffered some damage also from smoke. The Pearl family, who lived on the second and third stories of the same building, had their household goods badly damaged by smoke.

All parties carried insurance. The cause of the fire is unknown and it is a mystery which no one can solve.

—Mr. W. B. Maitland is erecting a large smoke stack for the boilers, at the electric light station.

It is time to stop talking tariff—almost everybody has made up his mind how to vote. Stop talking tariff and arrange for getting out the vote.

Bellefonte Grain Market.

Table with 2 columns: Grain type and price per bushel. Includes items like White wheat, Red wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Barley, Buckwheat, Cloverseed, and Ground plaster.

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES & C. (as corrected weekly by Bower & Co.)

Table with 2 columns: Item and price per unit. Includes Apples, Beans, Onions, Butter, Tallow, Country Shoulders, Sides, Hams, Hams sugar cured, Breakfast Bacon, Lard, Eggs per dozen, Potatoes per bushel, and Dried sweet Corn per pound.

FOR THE LADIES.

A SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT THAT IS OF INTEREST.

The attention of the ladies of this county is called to the fact that a new department has been added to Aikens' Music Store, at Bellefonte, which will be of interest to them.

A large and full line of tailor-made Ladies Coats, Wraps and Ulsters has been added which embraces the very latest styles in the different qualities and shades. The new, patent school Ulster, "Leonora" is a garment every school girl should have—sold by us.

A special invitation is extended to the ladies to call and see some of the new coats, wraps and ulsters just received. It will be a pleasure to Mrs. Aikens, who has charge of this department, to wait upon you, at

AIKENS' MUSIC STORE, Bellefonte, Pa.

GARMAN'S.



THURSDAY, OCT. 27, '92

Our Cloak Man makes his visit. Do you want anything in that line? If you are hard to please or want a better coat than Bellefonte merchants handle, it would be wise to call. You can be suited and at any price you may suggest.

Our regular line of coats are giving elegant satisfaction.

Have you seen our coats for the little ones?

Don't forget—Thursday, Oct. 27.

GARMAN'S.