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EDITORIAL.

SPAIN'S last ocean property is gone, she has sold her floating drydock.

WHY don't the necktie manufacturers put a "Schley loop" on the market?

VERY few of our local democratic politicians attended the State Convention at Harrisburg, this week.

THE heroic Boers announce that the war with England is to continue until their independence is acknowledged.

THE dog days are here and that likely accounts for the spurts of bad blood among local republican politicians.

PHYSICIANS say that alcohol predisposes to consumption and to sunstroke in summer. What does it do in spring and fall?

THE Philipinos have chosen a new leader, to take the place of Aguinaldo, and he has proclaimed that the war for independence shall go on.

SENATOR BURTON says that ninety per cent of the American people have already decided for Schley. Make it ninety-nine, Senator; make it ninety-nine!

A WESTERN physician says that going without food will cure rheumatism. It will cure everything else, too, except death, if it is persisted in long enough.

FOR all the enormous steals perpetrated by the machine gang at Harrisburg, the taxpayers have nothing to show for them, except increased salaries, new offices, stolen franchises, and the like.

UNCLE SAM is to be congratulated; the profits on the Filipino trade have so risen that they are now almost one per cent of the cost of managing the islands. After a while it is hoped that they may increase to two per cent.

THE plea that the tariff should be removed from trust made articles is met by the reply that to do so "would disturb business." Undoubtedly it would disturb the trust business—and why shouldn't that business be disturbed?

THE Iowa Republicans have certainly mastered the art of riding at once two horses going in opposite directions. In their recent platform, they endorse the Dingley bill unqualifiedly and then pronounce for its immediate revision. Good for Iowa!

GREAT BRITAIN'S total expenses for the last fiscal year, including those of the war, were only a few million over one billion dollars—not quite so much as those of the United States with only a little picnic in the Philippines in progress. But, then, the Republican party isn't in charge of the finances in Great Britain.

THE "Shamrock" arrived in New York Monday and will soon be in shape to take a spin in the American waters prior to the races in which the English yacht hopes to capture the cup. The English sports have tried that many a time and always failed yet never get weary of the effort; it is remarkable that American boats and canvass so often out-raced them.

THE Howard Hustler started its many readers last week by the announcement that on national issues they were republican and would continue to advocate those principles, but on all local matters they would remain strictly independent with the privilege of supporting what they considered the best man. That is a clever idea and will be approved by many.

IT would be somewhat of a surprise if the members of the National Guard of Penna. should be called out to preserve order in the sections of this state where the strike among the steel workers is in effect. That would interfere with their annual encampment but would give them some real service. Thus far the strikers have caused no trouble and there is little occasion for alarm.

WHAT presumption it is for the Knights of Labor to try to compel Attorney General Knox to execute his sworn duty and prosecute the Steel Trust! Do not the Knights know that Mr. Knox drew the articles under which the Steel Trust was incorporated and that he was chosen for his present post by the influence of the Steel Trust? How can they ask him to prove treacherous to it?

THE republicans of Huntingdon county held their convention last week and nominated a ticket but refused to pass resolutions endorsing ripper Stone and the doings of the ripper legislature. The republicans of several other counties have done the same thing—refused to endorse the iniquities of the late machine legislature. By this it will be seen that the republicans of Centre county have lots of good company in their fold.

GAZETTE GOT LEFT.

Stray echoes of the last republican convention occasionally drop on the ear. One of the results noticed is that the republican Quay machine, at Harrisburg, hearing that Editor Harter, of the Gazette, had straddled the issue, refused to award that paper the advertisement of the proposed constitutional amendments to be voted upon this year, a soft snap that pays about \$200 for little or no work. The Gazette man, claiming to have more readers than all the other republican papers in the county combined, naturally feels the slight. He has only himself to blame. This amendment scheme is a great big farce, instituted by the Quay politicians to distribute over \$50,000 in useless advertising, which they will use as a political corruption fund for influencing, bribing rather, the weekly papers of the state into supporting Quay, Stone, and the rest of the gang. In this way many an ordinary, weak-kneed independent republican publisher, and certain democrats, have been suddenly converted into howling organs for the machine. Of course we sympathize with Brother Harter, since he missed a nice slice.

WHEAT does not have much to go up life about it although not a big crop. Dear farmer, it is the wheat trust that is after you.

JOHN HAMILTON seems to have dropped out of sight. Wonder if he has heard of Abner McKinley's Oleo factory, at Somerset, Pa?

THE republican state convention meets at Harrisburg next week. The machine "rippers" being on top, there will be regulation harmony, and the bosses have all their own way.

THE Bellefonte Republican came out this week with "hay on its horns" and full of fight all along the line. What is the use of running a paper unless you have an occasional tilt? The world admires a fighter.

OUR editorial brethren over the county are exchanging left handed compliments and the end is not in sight. All seems to be due to the recent republican county convention. Ye should dwell together in peace.

THE strike is unsettled and as uncertain as it is unsettled. It may be a bad affair for the country at large and for the trust and the strikers in particular. The steel trust with its millions of capital, boasts it will unhorse the striking employees. It will soon tell.

RECENT DEATHS.

LAVINA SMITH:—died Thursday morning, August 1st, 1901, at her home in Berwick, Pa. Death was due to heart disease. Deceased, whose maiden name was Lavina Long, was born in Howard, Centre Co., Pa., in November, 1828, and was one of a family of thirteen children; only one, a sister, Mrs. Gardner, of Howard, are surviving.

A. T. JAMES:—Ex-Deputy Factory Inspector Alfred T. James, of Williamsport, died suddenly, Monday morning. Death was due to heart failure. Some years ago he lived in Philipsburg and opened an insurance office. Under the administration Gov. Hastings he was appointed deputy factor inspector for this district and several years ago went to Williamsport to reside.

MRS. CATHARINE SHEESLEY:—died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Woomer, at Boalsburg, early Thursday morning, at the advanced age of 84 years. She had been confined to bed from ailments due to advanced age for about 20 months. Interment Saturday morning. Mrs. Sheesley was from Union county, where she lived until a few years ago. The children who survive her are, Mrs. Edward Woomer, Boalsburg; Mrs. Susan Robeson, White Deer; George, Penn Hall, and Jackson, Woodward. The husband, Peter Sheesley, died seven years ago.

OSCAR J. MEYER:—died at his home in Milesburg on Wednesday afternoon at 2:25 o'clock, from an illness of about a year with consumption, but was only confined to his bed during the past week. His age is about 37 years. Surviving him are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Meyer, and one brother, Henry H., of Bellwood, Pa., and one sister, Sarah M., at home. Interment will take place in the Union cemetery, Bellefonte, Friday morning. Services will be held in the M. E. church, at Milesburg. Deceased was a member of the I. O. O. F. of Milesburg; by occupation was a millwright. He was well known in this section.

SAMUEL B. STOVER:—died at his residence near Hartleton, on Wednesday 7, aged 82 years, 7 months and 27 days. Mr. Stover was born at Aaronsburg, July 4th, 1819, and was married to Susan Miller, their union being blessed with four boys and one girl, the latter dying at the age of nine years; Cornelius was killed at the battle of Fredericksburg; Alexander disappeared May 15th, 1893, and nothing has since been heard of him. Of the children Daniel and Jerry alone survive him. Mr. Stover was married twice, the second time to Miss Susan Crist. The remains were taken to Centre county and interred in the cemetery at Wolfe's chapel, Haines twp.

The dead beat is often very much alive.

IN ADJOINING COUNTIES.

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and was at the head of his class. Frank Meyer, of Penn Hall, and Prof. John Meyer, of this place were former principals of the same schools.

The report printed last week that the Spring Mills planing mill company had undergone a change by a new partner taking the place of an old one, was incorrect. No change has taken place nor was such contemplated.

Henry Smith, of Howard, was taken this week to the Williamsport hospital suffering with a case of blood poison. Smith was injured in a Potter county lumber camp two months ago, and the wound in his knee was not thought at first to be serious.

Mrs. L. O. Pecker and son Sumner were in Millheim, Saturday, on their way home to Pittsburg after having spent several months very pleasantly with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Krumrine. Her husband has a good position with the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Co., Pittsburg.

Saturday afternoon Ralph L. Reynolds, of Penna Furnace, was killed on the railroad a short distance west of Birmingham station. With others he had been in Tyrone during the day, and under the influence of intoxicants walked down the railroad. At the point named he attempted to board a freight train and was thrown to the track and instantly killed, the car wheels passing over his body in a diagonal direction from shoulder to waist.

IN ADJOINING COUNTIES.

Newton Hamilton camp is in progress this week.

The trustees of the Methodist church at Belleville, Mifflin county, have decided to build a new church building at a cost of \$4,000.

Miss Maud L. Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Harris, of Mill Hall, will be married to Rev. H. W. Hartsock, of Altoona, on Sept. 12.

Miss Julia Radie has been admitted to practice law in the Northumberland county courts, being the first woman to be admitted in the courts of that county.

Sunday morning while John Bell and family, of Warriorsmark valley, were to church, robbers entered a side window of their home and completely ransacked the premises. They carried away with them about \$34.

At the firemen's tournament at Du Bois last week the Hope Fire Co. was awarded the first prize for being the best uniformed company and the Philipsburg Military Band carried off the first prize in a quickstep selection.

Burke C. Brady, of Brookville, died of typhoid fever in Parroti, Mexico, a few days ago. The young man was the only son of A. L. Brady, was aged 21 years, and a year ago graduated from State College, as a civil engineer.

Snyder county has a minister who is not entirely dependent upon his congregation for support. He and his family picked 900 quarts of huckleberries and sold them to Long & Son, at Crossgrove, and are daily adding to their record.

In the lower end of Penna valley, about Millheim and Woodward, grasshoppers are so numerous that they are doing great damage to the oats crop. Some fields have been eaten up so badly that the crop will scarcely be worth harvesting.

Having leased 9,000 acres of land near Lock Haven, the Tangascootac company will begin at once prospecting for gas and oil. Wells will be drilled in several places on the leased land, and it is thought oil and gas will be struck in that locality.

John Musser years ago a clerk in Wilson & McFarlane's hardware store, but is now in California. About three years ago he became afflicted with what finally terminated in locomotorataxia, or the complete paralysis of the lower limbs, so that he is unable to walk, otherwise he is in good health. He became so helpless that he was brought east and is now at the home of his mother in Altoona.

A new threshing machine has been introduced into Tioga county. It is designated a rye thresher and the purpose it serves is to thresh that grain without tangling or injuring in any way the long straw which is automatically tied in bundles as it comes from the machine. Subsequently the bundles are pressed into bales. The bales are shipped to the fancy trade in the cities for stable bedding and other uses.

The Mifflin county Republican ticket nominated: Associate Judges, William H. Erwin, of McVeytown, and W. Pax Mendenhall, of Lewistown; Prothonotary, J. B. McManigle, of Armagh township; Register and Recorder, Harvey C. Burkett, of Lewistown; District Attorney, Fred. W. Culbertson, of Lewistown; Director of the poor, Thomas H. Bailey, of Menno township; delegate to State convention, John H. Webb, of Allensville.

New Building for Renovo.

Rev. J. J. Gormley, pastor of the Renovo Catholic church, announces that it is his intention to erect a new building for the parochial school, at no distant date. The site for the proposed structure has not been decided upon, but it may be where the present school is located on Ninth street.

FUNSTON TO RESIGN.

Man Who Captured Aguinaldo Will Quit the Army for Profitable Commercial Work.

Army officers returning from the Philippines report that Gen. Fred Funston expects to tender his resignation as brigadier general in the regular establishment and engage in private business. He is quoted as having said as soon as all active military operations in the islands cease he will give up his place in the army and will represent a large commercial concern which has made him a handsome offer for his services. His resignation is expected to be forthcoming before October. The report that the Kansan would resign was



BRIG. GEN. FRED FUNSTON. (Will Leave the Army Soon to Engage in Commercial Work.)

thoroughly discussed by officers at the war department, and while no one seemed to have any direct information concerning his intentions the statement that he would leave the army was generally accepted as true. People in Washington who know Funston say that he is not by nature adapted to the routine of a military part in times of peace and that his spirit of daring and enterprise will lead him into other fields.

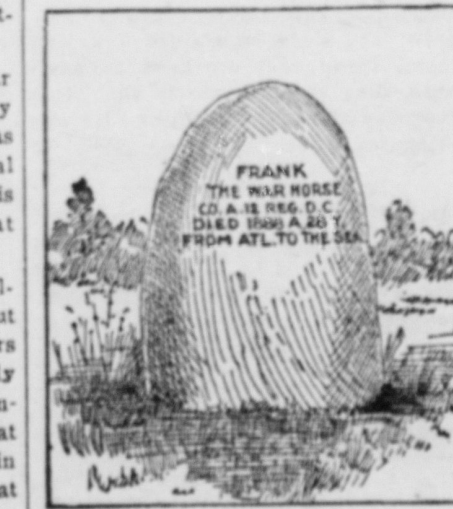
Officers who have returned within the past few days said he did not expect the promotion that resulted from his capture of Aguinaldo and that when he was shown the cablegram from the war department announcing his appointment as a brigadier general he expressed astonishment that his exploit should have led the president to accord him such recognition. At that time, it is said, he was making arrangements to get out of the army, his intention then being to accept a proposition of a large business concern to represent it in the Philippines. The promotion for the time being, of course, diverted his attention from such plans. The offer is said to have been renewed since, and as it would bring him a much larger salary than that of brigadier it is understood he has almost decided to accept it.

BRAVE CAVALRY HORSE.

Its Memory Has Just Been Perpetuated by the Erection of a Monument in Ohio.

Survivors of the Twelfth Ohio cavalry have unveiled a monument erected over the grave of "Frank," a veteran war horse connected with that regiment during the rebellion.

Frank was a thoroughbred Kentucky colt, five years old when he entered the service 36 years ago. Fleet of foot, strong of limb, and with the splendid endurance of the true thorough-



IN HONOR OF FRANK. (Monument Erected in Memory of Famous Ohio War Horse.)

bred, he soon earned for his rider, Abe Conger, of company A, the distinction of being frequently detailed for special service. Several extraordinary marches of over 80 miles a day are placed to his credit, but the event which most endeared him to the hearts of the troop was his being a participant in the capture of Jefferson Davis.

During the term of his service he acquired a wonderful veneration for his country's flag and many are the pathetic stories told in this connection. It is the special pride of Capt. Harter to relate that one day when a flag was being raised at a schoolhouse near the field in which Frank was grazing he jumped the fence as soon as he saw it and stood beneath its waving folds until it was removed at night.

The monument, which is on Capt. Harter's farm at Upper Sandusky, is a single bowlder, extremely hard and red and gray in color, with sharply out facets which sparkle and glitter in the sunlight as it beams upon the spot which will long be venerated in honor of one of man's best friends and an influential factor in the making of history.

Uncle Sam's Penny Coinage. Last year the United States coined 68,546,243 cents, which sounds big, but it is less than a penny apiece.

Moore-Reese. At the U. B. parsonage, in Port Matilda, August 5, 1901, by Rev. G. A. Sparks, Mr. J. H. Moore, and Miss Coatie Reese, both of Worth township, Centre county.

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ney-Liver Pills. They cure rheumatism permanently by making the kidneys active in their work of removing the uric acid from the blood. Mr. William J. Coad, No. 65 Brunson Street, Oswego, N. Y., writes: "I am very glad to praise Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and tell what they have done for me. I suffered for many years with severe constipation, rheumatism and kidney trouble, and could get no relief until I tried Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. In them I found immediate relief, and can honestly recommend them to other sufferers."

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- Large linen Huck Towels, 9c
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- 75c white Shirt Waists, 39c
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- 25c Japanese Matting, linen chain, 19c
- Extra heavy yard-wide Muslin, 5c
- Violet perfumed Ammonia, pint, 10c

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