

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PATTISON'S MESSAGE

To the State Senate Showing the Causes for the Extra Session.

THE BIG TREASURY HOLE

Couldn't Have Been Done by Bardsley Without Boyer and McCamant.

AMOUNT OF THE DEFALCATION.

The Charges Made Against the Delinquent Tax Contributors.

PARTISANSHIP NOT TO BE REGARDED

HARRISBURG, Oct. 13.—The following is the full text of Governor Pattison's message sent to the extra session of the Senate to-day:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

(OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.) HARRISBURG, PA., OCT. 13, 1891.

GENTLEMEN—By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution I have convened you in extraordinary session...

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEES.

For the several months succeeding the retirement of John Bardsley from his office, various investigations have been in progress...

COINCIDENT DATES.

For example: John Bardsley received interest monthly for the State money he was permitted by the Auditor General...

INTERESTING LETTERS.

On October 2, 1890, John Bardsley drew a check for \$600. The letter to him from Auditor General Thomas McCamant...

HOW BARDSELY GOT \$150,000.

From the testimony given by Thomas McCamant, Auditor General, before the joint Legislative Investigating Committee...

moneys criminally received by him from the Magistrate of Philadelphia in whose hands he placed the suits for the collection of delinquent mercantile taxes...

THE DEAD AND MISSING.

These same memoranda and stubs show that John Bardsley regularly received large sums of money from the publishers of newspapers...

AMONG THE BOOKS AND PAPERS OF JOHN BARDSELY.

Among the books and papers of John Bardsley appear evidence and memoranda made by him to the effect that on certain days and dates he received large sums of money for interest from banks, brokers...

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR QUARTERLY RETURNS.

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to each county or city on all taxes remaining unpaid on the second Monday of November of each year...

MANIPULATION OF TAXES.

Of the taxes collected for 1890, amounting to \$785,753 37, no portion was paid on the first Monday of November following...

ENORMOUS EXPENSES.

It further appears that the five mercantile appraisers for Philadelphia, appointed by John Bardsley and Auditor General Thomas McCamant...

THE \$367,694 18 LICENSE MONEY STOLEN.

Of the license moneys collected by Bardsley for 1890, amounting to \$367,694 18, most of which was collected before July 1, 1890...

\$50,612 63 LOANS TAX EMBEZZLED.

For the tax on municipal loans, payable from the city to the State, John Bardsley received from the city of Philadelphia...

THE STATE DEFEAUNDED.

Insubstantial proof is furnished that the State has been defrauded out of its just revenues. The mercantile appraisal books of the past three years present evidence...

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I REGRET THE NECESSITY WHICH HAS ARISEN TO SUMMON YOU FROM YOUR HOMES...

GRATIFYING TO ALL.

The high position attained and the universal respect and approval of the pleasant liquid remedy Syrup of Figs...

SEE BLAINE

Before You Buy a Lot.

Employment here for workers, business for merchants and tradesmen and large profits for investors...

A Favorite Remedy.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a favorite during the winter months on account of its great success in the cure of colds...

A Good Suggestion.

If you have valuables keep them where they will be safe. The safe deposit vaults of the Farmers' Deposit National Bank...

EXCURSION TO BRADFORD.

Thursday, October 15, via P. & W. T. Delegates to State Convention W. C. T. U. and others can secure round trip tickets to Bradford...

EXPOSITION OFFERING.

Your picture free, and handsomely framed, given away during the Exposition, by Herrick & Co., 63 Federal street...

IRISH FOLK CURTAINS AT \$3.50.

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EVERY PAIR WORTH FOUR DOLLARS!

All Perfect and Warranted.

Ladies' elegant Dongola Kid Button Boots; also, fine cloth tops and patent leather, finely made, silk stitched. Silk or kid top facings. Silk-worked button holes, reinforced. Common Sense, Opera, New York or Philadelphia lasts. Patent leather tips or plain toes. Light, flexible and heavy soles. Very latest styles. Perfect fitting, all sizes and all widths.

Remember, \$2.18 a Pair.

They're Well Worth \$4 a Pair.

Gents' fine Wescott Calif, Lace or Congress, seamless silk stitched; wide or narrow toes, tipped or plain; fine dongola kid tops; best inside trimmings and custom finish; fine light single soles for dress or special wear, and medium or heavy soles for business, professional or any service that may be required. This is the finest, most tasty and perfect lot of gents' fine shoes we have ever offered for the money. See them promptly; they will move off quickly.

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This Week Closes Them Out.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

LAIRD'S SHOE STORES

406, 408 and 410 BARGAINS 433 Wood St. Market St. BOTH STORES Entire New Stock. WHOLESALE STORE 515 WOOD ST.

ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS THIS WEEK.

Out of a host of attractive bargains, Keech mentions this week a few that are bound to please you. As we are closing out entirely our entire stock of clothing and wraps, we mention first our unprecedented bargain sale of

Men's Clothing, Ladies' Wraps and Cloaks!

And then SPECIAL DRIVE in Hat Backs; were \$30.00, now \$12.00, besides which

UNSURPASSED BARGAINS IN HOUSEFURNISHINGS.

Of new and best makes at factory prices, quality and price guaranteed, make Keech's a very desirable place to visit. Our big stores are always ready to welcome you, whether you buy or not.

CASH KEECH CREDIT

623, 925, 927 PENN AVEN. - NEAR NINTH STREET. OPEN SATURDAYS UNTIL 10 P. M.

EXPOSITION

ROYAL ARCANUM DAY.

In compliance to the members of this representative order, the management has designated the last Wednesday

ROYAL ARCANUM DAY.

CAPPA and his unrivaled "lanud" will be on hand as usual, but the festive and unmanageable "GOAT," which does such execution in the lodge rooms of our brothers, has been prohibited from entering the Exposition building.

P. S.—His keeper has been ordered to securely chain the animal in the rear of the west end of the main building. Visitors may, therefore, feel perfectly safe.

EX-CONGRESSMAN WILSON'S WILL

Principally Bequests to a Number of Church and Educational Institutions. CINCINNATI, Oct. 13.—The late John T. Wilson, ex-member of Congress and the wealthiest man in Adams county, O., made a number of bequest to religious and educational institutions.

He gave to the Methodist Episcopal Missionary Society, \$10,000; to the Freedman's Aid and Southern Educational Society of the same church, \$5,000; to the Elizabeth Gamble Deaconess Home, Cincinnati, \$5,000; to two churches in testator's neighborhood, \$1,000 each; to Marietta College, Marietta, O., \$5,000; to the Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, O., \$5,000; to the Wilson Children's Home of Adams county, O., \$5,000; also 11 farms, aggregating over 1,400 acres, to be used by the County Commissioners as an endowment for the home; \$4,000 in aid of a monument to the memory of Adams county soldiers who were killed or died during the War of the Rebellion.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE.

For Indigestion, Dyspepsia, and diseases incident thereto.

Country Blankets. In scarlet, white and gray, country and German yarns, country flannels, cambrics, spreads, napkins, toiletines, table damasks, towels, linens, cravats and sheeting muslins at bargain prices.

H. J. LYON, 438-440 Market street. J. W. HORSFORD & Co. 609-221 Penn avenue.

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DIVIDING THE SPOILS.

On May 31, 1889, Auditor General McCamant approved the bills of the Philadelphia newspapers for advertising the mercantile appraisements for \$40,722 60. On the same day, according to John Bardsley's memoranda, he received \$40,722 60 from the newspapers in and Auditor General Thomas McCamant had conjointly directed the mercantile ap-

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the amount of such account shall be paid to the Commonwealth, or to the person entitled to the same...