

THE latest 16 to 1 ratio is the appointments to the disappointments.

THE coming session of Congress is to have the largest Republican representation from the South in the history of the country.

THE Sound Money vote in the United States Senate has been strengthened by the elections of 1897. In rolling on, the Silver moon is nearing its last

THE search for a better party than the Republican had the usual result in New York City. A chase after windy "reformers" is great luck for the worst political element.

BUSHNELL's plurality was one of the largest ever given a Governor in Ohio. Hayes was elected Governor three times, and his pluralities were 2,983, is about 28,000.

IT is thought that by the first of the year the Treasury officials will be treated to the novel sight of witnessing monthly surpluses instead of deficits. The receipts of the Dingley law are steadily growing.

THE grand jury ignored the charge of conspiracy preferred against General Reeder, and Van Valkenberg must pay the costs. It is very plain now why the general was so anxious for the trial; he knew what the result would be.

THE Bryan experiment in Ohio during the closing days of the campaign he held forth to the delighted farmers the Republican majorities averaged about a hundred greater than last year. If Bryan had spoken "from every stump," as originally announced, what would have been the result?

SECRETARY ALGER, of the War Department, in his forthcoming report will urge upon Congress the necessity of increasing the Regular Artillery from five to seven regiments, urging that this increase is necessary not to man but to care for the new fortifications. The New York Chamber of Commerce urges the increase.

THE gain of a Republican Senator in Maryland is one of the pleasing feattests of 1898. At present the Republicans are not in a clear majority in the Senate, though they have a good lead over the Democrats alone. Murphy, of New York, and Smith, of New Jersey, who step out a year and a third hence, are among the Democratic Senators who, in all probability, will have Republican successors.

STATE Treasurer Haywood tells a in an interview, had remarked that in New York. Beacom would receive from 150,000 to 220,000 plurality. Senator Quay, before any returns had been received, said this estimate was too high, and that Mr. Beacom would get about the plurality in the neighborhood of 130,000. This was only 9,000 out of the way.

Mr. DINGLEY says the Democrats will be grumbling next year because the tariff is producing a surplus. The chances are that the Dingley act will, before long, at least bring in enough revenue to meet the expenditures. When that condition comes the country will rejoice. It is to be hoped that the prediction of a surplus, however, will prove correct. A surplus would agreeable change after the debt creating which was done by the Cleveland administration.

WHERE is the Solid South now? Two Republican Senators from Maryland, one from West Virginia, with a with the Democrats on currency matters, one Republican Senator from North Carolina, and one Populist, one Protectionist from Louisiana, two Senators from Georgia and one from South ator refusing to support free coinage. It appears to be something of a split.

THE report that there will be a twothirds majority in the Senate for the ratification of the Hawaiian treaty is probably correct. The annexation project gains friends as time passes. All the objections which can be urged against annexation have been heard, and they are not formidable. The Presearly action, and nearly all the Republicans and a majority of the Democrats are likely to stand with him on this question. Nobody need be surprised if annexation comes before the end of January.

EVERY State which McKinley carried in 1896, except Kentucky, is tolerably sure to go Republican in 1900. The Restill win. They are likely, however, to gain States in the Northwest which will more than make up for Kentucky's loss. The drift in Ransas and South Dakota toward the Republicans shows a breaking in the Bryan column which | W. K. Gillespie, Seventh Ave., Pittstions the general result in 1900 will be the same as it was in 1896, if the issue remains the same.

Do THE Democratic brethren really feel jubilant? They profess to. Bryan has issued his manifestoes calling attention to gains and the increasing sen- lain's Cough Remedy, which relieved the timent in favor of silver as shown by child immediately." A bottle of that remthe election, but they are intended for edy in the house will often save the extor, with Gorman defeated in his strong. ness. When it is given as soon as the Pepublican gains in Kansas, with Free Silver again repudiated in New York, Massachusetts, Iowa, Ohio and Pennsylvania, what real cause for comfort Robert Lincoln's Daughter Elopes and and satisfaction the Democrats can find is hard to discover.

treasury is a fine illustration of the young business man of Mount Pleasant, feeling of financial security which pre- Ia, were married at Milwaukee Thursvalls. At one time during the Bryan canvass the reserve was down to \$100,-000, and everybody who had any 000,000, and everybody who had any and Beckwith families are warm friends, means of forcing gold out of the treas-

average man. Thus the gold drifts to the banks and the treasury. The banks seem to have more of it than they know what to do with, while the treasury Baker Heirs' Attorneys Said to Have hoard is growing at the rate of over \$1,000,000 a week. That prediction of a treasury official that the reserve would reach \$170,000,000 or \$180,000,000 before the expected winter gold outflow starts

s not unreasonable. \$5.00 Reward.

The undersigned will pay \$5.00 reward for information leading to the recovery of the family bible of Nicholas Shultz, who formerly resided on the farm known as the "Gumbert Farm," near Will's Church, in Somerset township. The bible is printed in German and contains the family record of said Nicholas Shultz. The undersigned desires to secure a copy of said record, and will pay all expenses of translating and transcribing. Address

J. G. STEWART. 664 Grove Avenue. Johnstown, Pa.

Anyone who suffers from that terrible plague, Itching Piles, will appreciate the immediate relief and permanent cure that comes through the use of Doan's Ointment. It never fails.

A Saiside for Curiosity.

New York, Nov. 12 .- A man to whom 7,518, and 5,544. Bushnell's plurality is John C. Bollitt, Jr., son of Judge Josh- of it. This made it appear that there was ua F. Bullitt, of near Louisville, Ky., ludge of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky. He was found dead in a room at the Central Railroad Hotel, on Liberty treet, which he engaged or the previous night, having registered as from Duluth, Minn, Bottles containing hydro-chloric acid, evanide of potassium and nitric acid were found on a table near the bed. A letter, found in the spartments, ad-

dressed to Joshua F. Bullitt, Jr., Big Stone Gap, Wise County, Va., read as follows: end it all. I wish you and Jim will induce father and mother to so make their the proposition that there was money wills as to secure to my wife and daughter my one-third share of their estate. I ask that every paper, memorandum, etc., that was a fizzle. In the counties in which being previously read. For my faults I sessed any virtues, let them live in mem-

> "You will, I know, be interested in will tell you what my feelings are. I vonder, I doubt, I hope but over all the bly accidentally, came upon an wonder and the doubt and the hope a that had never been settled. feeling of intense curiosity prevails. What is the future? I believe I know, but it is only a belief. I am very curlous o verify it. The feeling of fear is absent. I am going from here to the Eden Musee fact illustrates my mental condition per-

"Death seems to me to be merely an event of no more importance, say, than breakfast. I love life and hate to leave it, ures of the recent election, but there but the summons has been served and I

> "Your brother, "John C. Rellitt, Jr." Early this morning Bullitt came down

stairs, but returned to his room. That was the last time he was seen alive. As there was no response to the knocks of the hambermaid the door of the spartmen was forced open late this afternoon and hen the suicide was discovered.

Mr. Bullitt was about 38 years of age, and was formerly solicitor of the Northstory showing the good judgment of ern Pacific Railroad, at first located at St. Senator Quay, in whose company he | Paul, Minn., and later at Duluth, Minn. was on election night. Mr. Haywood, He resigned to engage in private practice

Cleveland's Son Named.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 10,-The Prince ton collegians were greatly disappointed when it became known to-night that Col. Jackson scored in 1893, which was Grover Cleveland's son is to be named Richard Folsom Cleveland, They had given the young man the name of Grover Cieveland, jr., on the day of his birth, and hoped it would stick to him. The name decided upon, Richard Folsom, is given in honor of Mrs. Cleveland's father.

TRY GRAIN-O! TRY GRAIN-O! Ask your Grocer to-day to show you package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. enable the Government to do a little GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of debt paying, which would be a very Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach re ceives it without distress. 1 the price of coffee. 25 cts. per package. Sold by all

Not Known Here.

A woman who registered as " Mrs. nes," arrived in Indiana a few evenlikelihood of a second, one from Ken- ings ago, with a babe in her arms and a tucky, and the other refusing to vote | small son trudging at her side. She had no money, and said she was on the hunt of her husband, from whom she had received a letter telling her to come him there. They had formerly lived in Somerset, she said, and her husband's real name is Elmer Hodge, though she Carolina refusing to stand in line on addressed him at Indiana by request as the tariff question, and one Texan Sen- Elmer Daff. She was aided in the search, but the man could not be found, though he is said to have been there everal weeks ago assisting C. A. Grumb ling of Morrellville, in measuring the streets of the town and numbering the uses, preparatory to establishing a free mail delivery. He is said to have collected \$65 belonging to Mr. Grambling and left with it, leaving behind an unpaid board bill.

The Indiana poor authorities paid the woman's way to Pittsburg, where she ident will, in his message, recommend said her home once was, and nothing has been heard of her since,

Capitol Commission Sustained by Court.

PITTSBURO, Nov. 10.-The suprem court handed down its decision in the state capitol commission cases, affirming the decision of the lower courts in dismissing the bills in equity filed by the architects whose designs had been rejected by the board of commissioners provided for publicans can give up Kentucky and by the legislature to select designs and plans for a new capitol building. This decision defeats the offort made to

set aside the award of the commission The \$10 order and the \$1000 order equal ly welcomed at the wholesale grocery of

has an ominous significance for the burg. Pa. Believe it pays to treat all Silverite side. From present indica- trade on one basis-fairly and squarely, It ofter happens that the doctor is out of town when most needed. The two-yearold daughter of J. Y. Schenek, of Caddo, Ind. Ter., was threatened with croup, he

writes: "My wife insisted that I go for the doctor at once; but as he was out of don't know anything. With | pense of a doctor's bill, besides the anx-Mark Hanna as good as elected Sena- lety always occasioned by serious sickhold and throughout the State, with croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. Thousands of mothers always keep it in their homes. The 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by all druggists.

Weds in Milwankee. Miss Jossie Lincoln, the twenty-oneyear-old daughter of Robert T. Lincoln, THAT \$155,000,000 gold fund in the of Chicago, and Warren Beckwith, ury used it. Just now any sort of pa-per money is preferable to gold to the girl's parents and the affair was thought to have been broken off. \$4,000,000 CASH.

Found It. NOW IN A PHILADELPHIA FINANCIAL

The attorneys for the Baker heirs have discovered, they claim, \$4,000,000 in actual each in a Philadelphia institution, and roceedings will be begun immediately to get possession, says the Pittsburg Conrercial Gazette.

INSTITUTION.

This startling discovery has been kept nict for some time, so that further consive proof of the existence of the money could be obtained.

It appears that when the attorneys, F. Stemer and R. M. Ewing, representing the Baker Heirs' association of Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio, went to Philadelphia, they had nothing to go on save the fact that these stories about the fabulous wealth of Jacob Baker were handed down from generation to generation in the Baker families. But every branch of the family, how-

ever remote, told the same identical story of wealth, a ninety-nine-year lease, and the fact that they were told by their family would be immensely wealthy. Every family repeated the story of how Jacob Baker, in order to get revenge on death was no more of an incident than his sister for marrying against his will, a mob. The lynching had been apparbreakfast, committed suicide to-day out of | fixed his property so that neither she nor cariosity to know what the future is. He her immediate descendants could get hold out without a break in the program. something in the story, and when they went to Philadelphia they determined to run it down and ascertain once for all, if possible, whither or not there was Baker

FORMED A WORKING COMPACT. Attorney H. J. Miller of Chicago, also resenting a Baker association in the West, was already working in Philadelphia, and had compiled records of the entire Faker family from the beginning "Thursday. Dear Josh-I have decided of the last century. He was an heir himself, and had firm and continuous faith in waiting for him somewhere.

noney in that city, or in fact, anywhere

When Attorneys Ewing and Stone went to work they formed a compact I leave behind me be de troyed without | with Miller and agreed to disclose what they learned about the estate, leaving out ask only the charity of silence. If I pos- the question of whom they represented. The various records of the different Bakers who had left estates in Philadelphia county were referred to, and the cnowing how a person feels who is about orphans' court records looked up to disto step into the unknown world. Hence, cover what the executors had done with each of the estates. They finally, possi-

It was shortly after this that Miller dis covered that Jacob and John Baker, presumed to have been brothers, had invested certain money in the year 1792 in Philadelphia, and afterwards died. The heirs to play chess with the automaton. This of these men could not be located when it came to settle the estate. They were haps better than a volume of my writing supposed to have been bachelors, and heir family was scattered.

The money that had been invested was paid into court in the early part of this century, and when the court could not ocate the rightful owners, the money will likely be greater gains in the con- must answer. And now good byc. We was deposited in a financial institution in Philadelphia, and there drew interest and ompounded, awaiting the claim of heirs. CONSULTED WITH THE HEIRS.

When the attorneys made this discovery they left Phildelphia, it will be re sembered, in a hurry, and came to Pittsarg to consult with the executive com nittee of the Baker Heirs' association elative to further procedure in the mater. They left Attorney Miller and others to continue along these lines and run the entire transaction to earth.

Since that time these persons have been at work and new information has been received which leads the attorneys here o think that there can be no possible doubt about it now. The trouble is now to prove who are the heirs, and to compel this institution to hand over the acunulated fands. If the heirs can estab ish a good title to the funds they will have no trouble in getting their money in the near future, according to the attorneys' statements

A great deal of preliminary work is still o be done in the matter, and the attorneys refuse to state what institution has this money. They have figured it out generally and estimate the amount to be in the neighborhood of \$4,000,000. This is only one line of the work accomplished Property has been discovered in North and South Carolina, though how it is involved they can not say at present. The way the money was invested they also

refuse to disclose at present. The trouble the heirs will have now is to establish their claim to a portion of this cash. While there are several hundred heirs, it is very probable that many of them will be unable to prove their claims, and maybe but a few will share in the final wind-up.

WILL TRY TO PROVE THEIR CLAIMS. Attorney Ewing was in Braddock Saterday consulting with the president and vice-president of the association. They came to the conclusion that it would be all right to let the story out in a general way, although they did not want all the acts known at present, so that inquisiive persons could meddle with the work in Philadelphia. The Pittsburg attorneys will go to Philadelphia in the near future to try and establish their clients'

claim to this money located. This puts a new phase on the Baker estate story. The 99-year lease has been knocked out. It may be that these Bakers are not the same ones represented in this association, but the money, so far as | And don't you forget it. discovered, has not been paid, and the estate in which this \$4,000,000 cash is included has never been settled in the courts of Philadelphia, so far as the attorneys have discovered to date.

The associations of Baker heirs are nunerous. In this part of Pennsylvania there are in the neighborhood of 15 associations, all under a general executive ommittee, of which Rev. George Baker of Allegheny is chairman. Among these dock, Beaver, Butler, Johnstown, Washington county, Westmoreland county, Somerset, East Liverpool, Youngstown, Beaver Falls, Greensburg and others. In the West a number of branch asso ciations have been formed, and for many years a search has been carried on for this money, which, it is now alleged, has been located. At first it was reported that the estate amounted to \$380,000,000.

## THE OLDEST AND THE BEST

Cough-cure, the most prompt and effective remedy for disenses of the throat and lungs, is Ayer's Cherry Pertoral. As an emergency medicine, for the cure of Croup, Sore Throat, Lung Fever and Whooping Cough, AVED'C

ALLING Cherry Pectoral cannot be equaled. E. M. BRAWLEY. D. D. Dis. Sec. of

the American Baptist Publishing Society, Petersburg, Va., endorses it, as a cure for violent colds, bronchitis, etc. Dr. Brawley also adds: To all ministers suffering from throat troubles, I recommend

AYER'S **Cherry Pectoral** Awarded Medal at World's Fair.

**AYER'S PILLS Cure Liver and Stomach Troubles** 

TEXAMAH, Neb., Nov. 11 .- Miss Alice mason and S. C. Laughlin were married here to-day. The woman was nomnated in the recent election by the Populists of Burt County for the post of Superntendent of schools. Laughlin received the same nomination at the hands of the

On the eve of election, Miss Thomasot withdrew. Her opponent having no opossition, was elected. Their wedding sumeements were sent out the day after election, and the marriage took place to-

They declare they had been engaged for some time, but kept the matter a secret for the very purpose they finally accomolished. The young woman would have been elected. She says that she withdraw to save her fiance the humiliation of de-

Lynching of Three Indians.

BISMARCK, N. D., November 14.-Alexander Condot, Indian half breed, Paul Holytrack and Philp Ireland, full blooded Indians, the first of whom was sentenced to death for the murder of six members of the Spicer family, last February, and had just been granted a new trial by fathers before them, that some day the the Supreme Court, and the latter two elf-confessed accessories in the murder, were taken from the county jail in Emmons county, last night, and lynched by rently coolly planned, and was carried Sudden and swift retribution was meted out by the mob to the murderers.

AN AGED VETERAN. Talks of the Civil War and the Legacy That Was Left Him for His Share in It.

If all the testimony now appearing in the public press of the Union, attested to by veterans of the Civil War, about the article that forms the subject of Mr. Hugh Cain's statement was published in this paper, it would fill every column of it. From the Mississippi to the Atlantic there are few daily papers whose columns do not contain similar statements, any one of which might have been selected for this issue, but the reader is asked to remember this fact. Mr. Hugh Cain lives at 208 Franklin street, Braddock, Pa., only a few miles from here. Opinions from a man almost in our midst are much more valuable, much more conare much more valuable, much more convincing and much more to be relied upon than if the said opinions were picked up in Kalamazoo, Mich., or Woonsecket, R. I. Read what he says: "I served my counin Kalamazoo, Mica, of woolsockel, R. Read what he says: "I served my country during the late war for six years, three under Gen. Sherman in the South, and three under Gen. Sherman in the South, and three under Gen. Sherman in the South, and three under Gen. Sheridan in the Shenandoah Valley. Whether it was the hardships and privations I endured, or what was the cause, I do not know, but for many years my kidneys troubled me, and of recent years they were much worse. I had severe pains through the loins, and in the kidneys, and an irregular and unnatural condition of the secretions, accompanied by considerable pain, and the secretions on standing deposited a heavy sediment. I felt generally run down and unwell, when I was advised by friends to use Doan's Khiney Fills. I procured them at a drug store, and used as directed. It is gratifying to me to say that they accomplished wonders, and the benefit was soon apparent after I began their use. I continued steadily to improve, and I have very little indication of the trouble left, and I feel better and hearther than in many a year." bearies than in many a year."

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GET MARRIED and go to housekeeping a year soone than they could before the opening of the new furniture rooms. Why? Simply because we sell so much cheaper. We are here to make it go. Quick sales and small profits is our motto. Come and see us. We can sell you full Chamber Suits from \$13 up. Couches, \$6.50 up. Chairs 35 cents up. Many nice and useful articles for the holiday trade coming in.

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OURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, The Hon. JACOR H. LONGE-NECKER, President Judge of the several Courts NECKER, President Judge of the several Courts of Common Pleas of the several counties composing the 16th Judicial District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jall Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said District, and D. J. Horner and George J. Black, Esq's. Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the County of Somerset, have issued their procepts, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas and General Jail Delivery, and Courts of Oyer and Terminer at Somerset, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1897.

Nornex is hereby given to all the Justices of the Penes, the Curoner and Constables within the said country of Somerset, that they be then and there in their proper persons with their roils, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office and in that behalf appertain to be done, and also they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the juli of Somerset Country, to be then and there to presecute against them as shall be just.

M. H. HARTZELL.

Zy virtue of sundry writs of Fierl Facias, and Levert Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Fiers of Somerset county, Pa., to me directed, there will be exposed to saie at the Court House, in Somerset borough, on FRIDAY, DEC. 10, '97, At I o'clock P. M.,

All the right, title, interest, claim and demand of Harry Bavis and Mary M. Davis, children and only heirs of Wesley W. Davis and Lydia M. Davis, dec'd, of, in and to all of a certain lot of ground stinate in the borong's of Somerset, county of Somerset, and Butte of Fennsylvania, bounded on the north by Union street, on the east by lot of Joseph lierr, on the south by Main street and on the west by an alley, laving thereon erected a two-story brick dwelling house, with a frame addition attached, stable and other out-buildings, with the appurtemanoes.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Harry lavis and Mary M. Davis, children and only heirs of Wesley W. Davis and Lydia M. Davis, dec'd, at the suit of W. H. Koontz's use. -ALSO-

All the right, title, interest, cinim, and demand of Ress F. Davis, of, in and to all that certain messuage or lot of ground situate in Somerset borough. Somerset county, Pa, adjoining lot of John Burkhart on the east Main street on the south, alley on the west and Union street on the north, containing 51 perches, having thereon erected two two-story dwelling houses, stable and other out-buildings, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution and to be soil as the property of Ress F. Itavis, at the suit of Jacob Lenhart's use.

-ALSO-

All the right, title, interest, claim and demand of Samuel H. Dull, of, in and to a certain lot of ground situate in Meyersdale burough, Sunerast orunty, Pa., numbered on the town plot as lot No. 28, being 59 feet wide, and 151 feet deep, located on the corner of Beuchley and First streets, bounded by jot of J. C. Speicher on the south and an alley on the west, having thereon creeted a good two-story frame dwelling house, wash house and other out-buildings, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Samuel H. Dull, at the suit of S. h. Livengood's use.

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All the right, title, interest, claim and demand of Jacob R. Schrock, of, in and to the undivided one half interest in all that certain tract of land situate in Black township, Somerset county, Pa., adjoining lands of Saral Hoover, John Phillippi, Noah Pritts, Jer Long and others containing Islacers and is perches more or less, having thereon erected a dwelling bouse, a new bank barn and other out-buildings also a large orthard on the a dwelling bouse, a new bank barn and other out-buildings; also a large orchard on the premises. The whole of said tract being un-derinid with coat, of which the upper bed is opened. At the same time and place the oth-er undivided one-half interest, (inte the prop-erty of william J. Schrock, dec'd) will be soid at administrator's public sale. Taken in execution and to be soid as the proper; of Jacob R. Schrock, at the suit of S. A. Kendall's use. -ALSO-

All the right title, Interest, claim and demand of William Shaffer, of, in and to a cartain tract of land situate in Lincoln township, Somerset county, Pa., adjoining lands of Jacob J. Smith, Cyrus Bittner, Nelson Shaulis, Jacob D. Shaulis and Pavid Dunmeyer, containing sixty-cipht acres more or less, having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house, log barn, spring house and other out-buildings, with the appuritenances. Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William Shaffer, at the suit of Austin W. Hetzer. -AT80-

All the right, title, interest, claim and demand of William Swank, Jonathan Snyder, C. Y. Daniels and J. N. Baker, serviving trustoes of St. John's Church, of the Evangelical Association of North America, of, in and to a certain church building 30x 80 feet, on a lot of ground containing 10s perches, situate in Limcoin township, Somerset county, Pa., adjoining lands of Adam Arisman and Josiah Ankeny.

Taken in execution and to be said as the Ankeny.

Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William Swank, Jonathan Snyder, C. Y. Bantels and J. N. Baker, surviving trustees of St. John's Church of the Evangelical Association of North America, at the suit of Jocob N. Baker and Noah A. Baker, administrators of John J. Paker, dec'd.

-ALSO-All the right, little, interest, claim and demand of Mory W. Shafer and W. B. Shafer, her husband, of, in and to all the undivided one fifth interest in the following described

tracts of land.

No. 1. All the coal, iron one, fire clay and all other minerals and mineral substances, solid or land, in a certain tract of land situate in Brothersvalley Lownship, Somerset county, Pa., adjoining lands new or formerly of Frederick Altfather, Henry Glesaner, Ludwig Korp and others, containing one hundred and fifty acres, more or less.

No. 2. A certain tract of land warranted in the name of Michael Kepple, situate in shade township, Somerset county, Pa., adjoining lands warranted in the name of Joseph Tominson, Benjamin Tominson, George Thompson and John Lemmon, containing four hundred and four acres and the allowances. There are about one hundred acres cleared and the balance timber. This tract is underiaid with a six-foot vein of coal.

No. 3. A certain tract of land situate in

No. 5. A certain tract of land situate in Shade township, Somerset county, Pa. adjoining lands now or formerly of Henry Ott, Jonathan Glunt, Daniel Weyand's heirs, Moses K. Johns and others, containing one hundred and cleven acres. This tract is undertaid with coal. No. 4. A certain tract of land situate

shade township, Somerset county, Pa., ad-oining No. 3, above described, lands of Moses C. Johns, a certain tract of land warranted in he name of James Dun, lands of David Cable, nomas Gahagan and others, containing five undred and thirty-three and one-half acres, nore or less. Taken in excention, and to be sold as the croperty of Mary W. Shafer and W. B. Shafer, her husband, at the suit of J. A. Berkey. Ladies' Jackets from \$2.56 up. -ALSO-

All the right, title, interest, ciaim and demand of Henry Vought, of, in and to a certain tract of land situate in Jenner township, Somerset county, Pa., containing 174 acres, more or less, adjoining lands of John W. Shaffer, Gillian Friedline, Jacob Keim, Mrs. Belle Griffith and others, having thereon creeted a two-story frame dwelling house, bank barn and other outbuildings, with the appurienances. Taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Heary Vought, at the suit of Jacob S. Picking, et al.

Terms:

Notice—All persons purchasing at the above sale will please lake notice that 10 per cent. of the purchase money must be paid when property is knocked down; otherwise it will again be exposed to sale at the risk of the first purchaser. The residue of the purchase money must be paid on or before the day of confirmation, viz: Thursday, Dec., 16, 1807. No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money is paid in full.

M. H. HARTZELL, Sheriff

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons con-cerned as legatees, creditors or otherwise, that the following accounts have pa sed register, and that the same will be presented for con-

Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1897. First and final account of M. A. Brubake dministrator of Charles Rodgers, dec'd. First and final account of Malinda Brit ham, administratrix of Millard P. Brithan

ham, administrative of Millard P. Brinham, dee'd.

First and final account of E. E. Ankeny, administrator of James M. Arkeny, "dee'd.

First and final account of A. G. Will, administrator of Wm. H. Hay, dee'd.

First and final account of Alex Marker, administrator of Sussanah Vought, dee'd.

First and final account of Lille B. Roberts, administrator of Sussanah Vought, dee'd.

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Somerset, Pa., [JJAMES M. COVER, Nov. E. 77.1]

COURT PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, The Honorable Judges of the Court of Common Pleus of Somerset county, Pa., have ordered that a Special or Adjourned Court of Common Pleus, of Quarter Sessions and Orphans' Court, for the trial of cases herein, shall be held at Somerset, on

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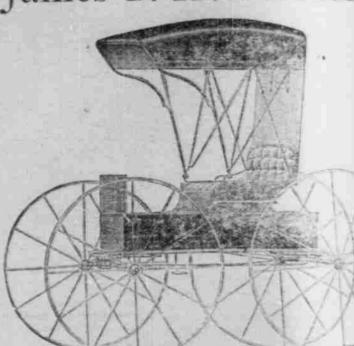
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