

WEDNESDAY, February 18, 1897.

Mr. TELLER desired to test the President and the House...

EVENTS move fast in these times. A year ago Chilkoot was a lonely mountain barrier in an arctic wilderness...

A GOVERNMENT official reports that of those who went to Alaska last year only seven per cent were able to earn a living...

THE negro who liberated Aranguro for \$500 is said to have been taken out and shot by the Spanish in Havana...

By THE time the November election occurs the members of the "Taxpayers' Union" will be as numerous as most other good little boys...

WITH a full-fledged Democratic candidate for Governor and the President of the "Taxpayers' Union" both residents of Somerset...

THE German people who are no longer permitted to comfort themselves with American apples...

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WANAMAKER NOMINATED FOR GOVERNOR BY THE TAXPAYERS' UNION.

The Disgraced Element in the Republican Party Set Up a Candidate Who Must be Nominated or They Will Belt the Convention.

Under the auspices of the "Business Men's League" a meeting was held in the Bourse at Philadelphia last Wednesday...

That the agents of Mr. Wanamaker "held the freight," or, in other words, furnished railroad transportation, and, perhaps, the wherewithal to defray other little incidental expenses...

The "honor" thus thrust upon the "General" was so sudden and unexpected that he was unable to prepare a speech of acceptance...

W. H. Koons, J. A. Berkey, D. J. Horner, C. J. Harrison, J. A. Lambert, Somerset; Josiah Specht, Kanter; J. R. Haines, Hookwood; C. F. Cook, Berlin; E. B. Black, E. D. Leonard, Meyersdale.

GOVERNOR HASTINGS ASKS FOR AN INJUNCTION RESTRAINING THE AWARDED OF A CONTRACT FOR A STATE CAPITOL BUILDING.

From the Harrisburg Telegraph. There will be sharp criticism and universal condemnation of the course pursued by Governor Hastings...

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