

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

TERMS.—Prothonotary, \$10; Sheriff, \$5; County Commissioner, \$5; Auditor, \$3; Jury Commissioner, \$2; State Delegate, \$2. Announcements and tickets must be paid for when ordered.

PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce CALVIN M. ARNER, of Tionesta, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. ROBERTSON, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce J. H. BUTLER, of Tionesta, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. F. GRIFFIN, of Howe township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce HARRY MAZE, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce W. M. COON, of Barnett township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce JAS. MCINTYRE, of Harmony Township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce W. A. CONNELLY, of Hickory Township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

GOVERNOR PATTERSON has appointed Nathau C. Shaeffer, principal of the Kutztown Normal school, to be state superintendent of public instruction.

The Legislature has thus far sent to the Governor 26 bills. Of these seventeen were approved, four vetoed, one withdrawn and six await action.

The combine of Pennsylvania Congressmen has not yet caught any plums. They are all sitting around in Washington waiting for the tree to be shaken, but Cleveland is not bumping their side of the tree. We notice that Mr. Harrity gets what he goes for.

MR. SIBLEY says he won't take the gubernatorial nomination if tendered to him, and seems, to have already had his fill of office. To a Meadville Star reporter he used this language when spoken to on the subject:

I never think of the Governorship unless somebody speaks of it in my hearing. I am not a candidate for governor of Pennsylvania. Moreover, I would not accept the nomination were it tendered to me. In my present position I am bored to death by office seekers, and were I nominated and elected governor of this great state the good Lord only knows the extent of the army of place hunters who would swarm around me.

SECRETARY GRESHAM says that he has received a report from Commissioner Blount, concerning his action in Honolulu in hauling down the old flag, but he will not make it public. Probably Gresham himself is ashamed of the trailing of our banner in the dust. He was a brave union soldier, and Blount's conduct, under Cleveland's orders, of course, naturally causes him to feel uncomfortable, but Blount was a rebel soldier and Cleveland sent a substitute to the army, and they have very little feeling in the matter. The American people would like to know all about the miserable affair, and they will know it or know the reason why.

WHEN Populist Senator Martin, of Kansas, called on Cleveland yesterday to ask why his influence was not potent in securing offices for his constituents, the President asked him to show his credentials to prove that he is a Democrat. In other words Cleveland snubbed the Populist, and Martin is as mad as a batter. He wants to know if a Senator who was received with open arms in the Democratic caucus is not a full-fledged Democrat and worthy to say who shall hold office in his State. We are glad that Cleveland turned him down. Martin is a second edition of Peffer—a weak imitation of Jerry Simpson, and before he gets very far in the Senate he will find his level.

The Pittston Gazette objects to what it calls "the proposition to promote Speakers of the House to State Treasurers," because it transforms the entire membership of the House into involuntary boomers of the Speaker's candidacy. "We see that to-day," it says, "with regard to Speaker Thompson, just as we have seen it a dozen times before in the politics of this State." In 100 years but three men who occupied the Speaker's chair have been elected State Treasurer. The first of these was Joseph Lawrence, who became Treasurer a dozen years after he was Speaker, and the second was James Ross Snowden, both of these being elected by the Legislature itself. The only one who has gone from the Speaker's chair to the Treasurership by the vote of the people is Henry K. Boyer, and as there was no other candidate for the nomination at the

time there was no booming, involuntary or otherwise, by members of the Legislature. There might be some serious evil in the candidacy of the Speaker, but so far there appears nothing alarming to good morals about it.—Phila. Press.

THE declaration of Congressman Sibley, of the Erie-Crawford district, that he will not be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor next year, and would not accept it if given him, is regarded as merely an effort to sidetrack a canvass that was given a premature start. It will be a great surprise if Congressman Sibley should not turn up later as his own candidate for Governor, but he has got himself in a position where he will find it advantageous to stay unless invited out by the Democratic bosses. At present Attorney General Hensel has some notion of running for Governor, and that may largely account for Mr. Sibley's obliging announcement after he had been posing for several months.—Phila. Press.

R. D. BLACKMORE, author of "Lorna Doone," is a practical fruit grower. He speaks as a fruit grower and not as an author when he writes from his home in England to the New York Tribune concerning the harm which free trade has done to the agricultural interests of Great Britain. In acknowledging the receipt of a "Farmers' Almanac," Mr. Blackmore writes as follows:

Alas that our poor farmers no longer require or could afford one, so wholly does their money pass to your less demopled country. Thousands of acres of good land in England have dropped out of cultivation, so wretched are the prices of all produce under our "Free Trade" system. And yet the poor do not get the benefit—or very little of it—in prices, for bread is as dear with wheat at 25 shillings per quarter as it was at 40 shillings, which is about the lowest figure at which it can be grown with any profit here. The same rule applies to my produce—fruit.

Sure to Rednee Wages.

That sterling champion of American interests the American Economist, recently sent a circular letter to manufacturers all over the country asking them what effect the passage of the free trade bill recently prepared by the Reform Club in New York would have upon the industries of the country. These questions were as follows:

What would be the effect of the proposed measure upon the property of the United States? What would be the effect upon your industry? What would be the effect upon the wages paid in your industry? What would be the effect upon the purchasing power of the people? All of the answers were to the effect that the proposed bill would certainly result in the reduction of wages and the diminution of the output. One company writes: "There would be no other possible way to meet it except to reduce wages of employes in our factory," and a big knitting mills company in Little Falls, N. Y., says: "It would necessitate a reduction of at least 50 per cent. paid in wages in this industry." It must be remembered that the bill prepared by the Reform Club was sneered at in Washington as not stringent enough, and its authors were alluded to as tyros in tariff legislation, all of which means that when the Democratic Congress again convenes there is going to be such a cutting down of tariff as will make the American workman wonder where he is at.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, The Hon. Charles H. Noyes, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions in and for the county of Forest, has issued his precept for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Quarter Sessions, &c., at Tionesta, for the County of Forest, to commence on the Third Monday of May, being the 15th day of May, 1893. Notice is therefore given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables of said county, that they be then and there in their proper persons at ten o'clock A. M., of said day with their records, inquisitions, examination, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done, and to those who are bound in recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Forest County, that they be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just. Given under my hand and seal this 17th day of April, A. D. 1893.

JOHN R. OSGOOD, [L.S.] Sheriff.

Confirmation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in my office and will be presented at the next term of court, commencing on the Third Monday of May, next, for confirmation: First and final account of J. H. Bowman, Administrator of C. E. Landers, late of Harmony township, Forest County, Pa., deceased. First and final account of Elizabeth Wynkoop, late of Millstone township, in the county of Forest, deceased, by her Executor, L. C. Wynkoop. First and final account of C. J. Abstrand, Administrator of the estate of Swan Abstrand, late of Lowe township, Forest county Pa., deceased. First and final account of S. S. Fowler, Guardian of Mary B. H. Bohrer, minor child of Samuel B. Bohrer, deceased. Attest, CALVIN M. ARNER, Register and Clerk of Orphans Court, Tionesta, Pa., April 17, 1893.

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By orders redeemed..... \$428 70 By interest paid on old Orders..... 145 25 By Treasurer's Commission..... 188 96 By Amt. To Balance..... 172 69

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