

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Following are the rates for announcements, to be accompanied by the cash: Congress \$20, Assembly \$12, Prothonotary \$12, Sheriff \$10, County Commissioner \$7, Auditor \$5, Jury Commissioner \$4, National Delegate \$5, State Delegate \$3. These rates include the printing of tickets.

CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce A. W. COOK, of Barnett township, as a candidate for Congress, subject to Republican usages.

ASSEMBLY.

J. E. WENK, of Tionesta, is a candidate for Assembly, subject to Republican usages.

PROTHONOTARY.

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

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce R. A. STRICKENBERG, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. M. WHITEMAN, of Tionesta township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

JURY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. JAMESON, of Hickory township, as a candidate for Jury Commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

COUNTY AUDITOR.

We are authorized to announce M. E. ABBOTT, of Hickory township, as a candidate for County Auditor, subject to Republican usages.

NATIONAL DELEGATE.

The friends of J. C. Campbell, of Jenks Township, present his name as a candidate for Delegate to the Republican National Convention, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election in Forest County, and the action of the District Conference.

STATE DELEGATE.

We are authorized to announce J. B. AGNEW, of Tionesta, Pa., as a candidate for Delegate to the National Republican Convention, subject to the decision of the District Conference.

STATE DELEGATE.

We are authorized to announce Geo. L. King, of West Hickory, Harmony township, as a candidate for Delegate to the Republican State Convention, at Harrisburg, April 23, 1896.

A SPANISH MOB IN NOT SPAIN.

This is fortunate for Spain. If the President is still an American the Cuban resolutions cannot embarrass him in the least.

WHITNEY declines Morrison is coy.

Mathews isn't saying anything and the great Democratic golden apple of nomination is still lying untouched. And all this after three years of Grover.

PRINCES EULALIA and the Duke of Veragua ought to be able to give Spain some good advice at this time.

They know a thing or two about Uncle Sam and are apt to tell Madrid that it will not be wise to stir up the animals.

It is estimated that the people of this tax-ridden, pauperized, downtrodden, ring-ruled, trust-robbled and eternally bled country will buy 2,000,000 bicycles this year at an average cost of \$60 a bike, thus expending \$120,000,000 for wheels in a single year.

Comments of the English press upon the Senate Cuban resolution are varied enough to suit all tastes. The independent English newspapers generally commend the position taken by the Senate, and one declares that Spain and Turkey are on the same plane in the matter of atrocities.

The special correspondent of a certain New York newspaper cables from London that Lord Dunsraven feels "very much put out" by the result of his controversy with the New York Yacht Club.

He has a right to that feeling. As we recall the subject His Lordship was "put out" by a vote of 30 to 1, with a number of concurring members not present at the meeting.

It appears that sugar is now being produced in Cuba only under military protection, and at a largely increased expense.

In one case, it is stated, the grinding of 10,000 bags of it has cost \$20,000; and heavy taxes are imposed in addition to the burden of maintaining a cordon of police around the property. This means that the continuance of the war is sure to make sugar higher in the United States; and such a fact is in itself a sufficient justification for interference on the part of our government.

THE UNITED STATES AND SPAIN.

The sudden culmination of many influences has brought a crisis in the Cuban question. It is a crisis which sweeps the whole circle of Cuban relations—which appears independently and yet concurrently in Madrid, in Havana and in Washington.

The Senate of the United States by an overwhelming vote has taken a step of the highest significance. With extraordinary unanimity it has passed resolutions not merely declaring for the belligerent rights of insurgent Cuba but contemplating the recognition and establishment of her independence.

This is unquestionably a momentous act. Its profound importance is not to be underrated. It is the chivalrous and worthy assumption of a high responsibility on the part of the United States and it substantially determines the independence of Cuba.

True, in a technical sense it is only the expression of an opinion of Congress. It is not operative in itself, and in form it is only a request to the President. But when such a declaration comes from Congress with such solemnity and unanimity it is virtually a command.

The American people have all along been in sympathy with the Cuban patriots. For a time the sentiment was lethargic. But when the appeal to humanity was added to the instinct of liberty it flamed forth with fiery ardor. The crisis came in Cuba. Spain was impotent to crush the rebellion.

Should we call a halt and fulfill the mission of civilization in stopping the return of barbarism within our very sight? There was but one answer and the American Congress has given it.

The action of the Senate caused great indignation in Spain and culminated in violent scenes in Madrid on Sunday, and an attack on the United States consulate. The trouble did not arise out of the spontaneous formation of the mob, which did the violence, but was the outcome of a public meeting, which had been influenced by fervid speeches.

The spirit of the mob took fire and they set off for the United States consulate. The authorities of the city had by this time taken alarm and a force of police was sent to the consulate. The excited mob was not intimidated by this show of force from gathering before the consulate and shouting, "Long live Spain," and "Down with the Yankees."

These verbal missiles did not long satisfy the aroused passions of the mob, and in a short time stones began flying from the crowd, which broke a number of windows in the United States consulate. The force of police waited for no further manifestation, but charged the crowd under the orders of their officers and roughly dispersed them, wounding several.

But with all their demonstration of patriotism, and hatred for the United States, they did not miss a chance to enjoy their national sport, (?) and the whole mob went to a bull fight the same day.

The Spanish government took steps very promptly to make amends to the United States for the outbreak at Barcelona. This action and especially the fact that it was taken immediately on news of the affair reaching the Spanish government and without waiting for any suggestion from the United States doubtless will tend greatly to relieve the situation and prevent a serious outcome of the mob's attack on our consulate.

has expressed deep regret at the Barcelona affair and has offered complete reparation. The dispatch added that measures have been taken to accord the United States legation protection.

The indication that no serious trouble is expected to follow this Barcelona incident is afforded by the course of affairs in the navy and war departments, which ran along Monday in the usual quiet and formal manner, without the slightest sign of preparation of ships or troops or military stores, which might be expected if it were felt that an emergency existed.

Constables will be interested, says a contemporary, in the decisions of the Courts of Luzerne county in regard to the fee bill of 1893. One decision in regard to their returns to court is as follows: A constable who was elected since the passage of the act of 1893, in Luzerne county, and after each election made his return to the regular term of quarter sessions, is not entitled to any fee or travel pay for making such return, for neither is allowed by the act of 1893.

Another decision is as follows: "A constable is entitled to ten cents a mile for each mile traveled, direct, but not for each mile circular." Another is "That a constable shall receive for serving subpoenas 60 cents, only allows that sum for each service, even though made upon two persons." The decisions mentioned above have also been passed on with the same result as stated above by the courts of other counties in this state.

I am going east about March 25th to purchase my spring and summer stock, consequently I would be pleased to have all persons who are indebted to me call and settle or send me the money, as I need it, and oblige, yours truly, DAVID MINTZ, Marienville, Pa.

Simon S. Hartman, of Tunnelton, West Va., has been subject to attacks of colic about once a year, and would have to call a doctor and then suffer for about twelve hours as much as some do when they die. He was taken recently just the same as at other times, and concluded to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says: "I took one dose of it and it gave me relief in five minutes. It is more than anything else has ever done for me." For sale by Heath & Killmer.

FOR SALE OR WILL EXCHANGE FOR LUMBER.—A good stationary saw mill, recently refitted throughout, 50 H. P. boiler and engine, log turner, gang edger, fractional blocks rope feed, saw frame, inserted tooth saws, cut off, bull wheel, lathe mill, belts, lumber trucks; in short, a fully equipped mill that will be sold at a reasonable price. Have also a 30 H. P. Blandly, that will sell for cash or exchange for lumber. McCLELLAN & MELL, Kade, Pa.

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I AM BOUND TO LEAD in all kinds of Merchandise. My stock is still large in all departments, and as I want to make room for my spring and summer goods from now until further notice I will give

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AS CASH IS WHAT I NEED to keep things moving. So for Bargains, come to us, for Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, Carpets, Oil Cloth, Trunks and Valises, Cloaks and Capes, Blankets, Wall Paper, Crockery and Glassware, Furniture and most anything else at

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Not to be Trifled With. (From Cincinnati Gazette.) Will people never learn that a "cold" is an accident to be dreaded, and that when it occurs treatment should be promptly applied? There is no knowing where the trouble will end; and while complete recovery is the rule, the exceptions are terribly frequent, and thousands upon thousands of fatal illnesses occur every year ushered in by a little injudicious exposure and seemingly trifling symptoms.

Beyond this, there are to-day countless invalids who can trace their complaints to "colds," which at the time of occurrence gave no concern, and were therefore neglected. When troubled with a cold use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is prompt and effectual. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Heath & Killmer.

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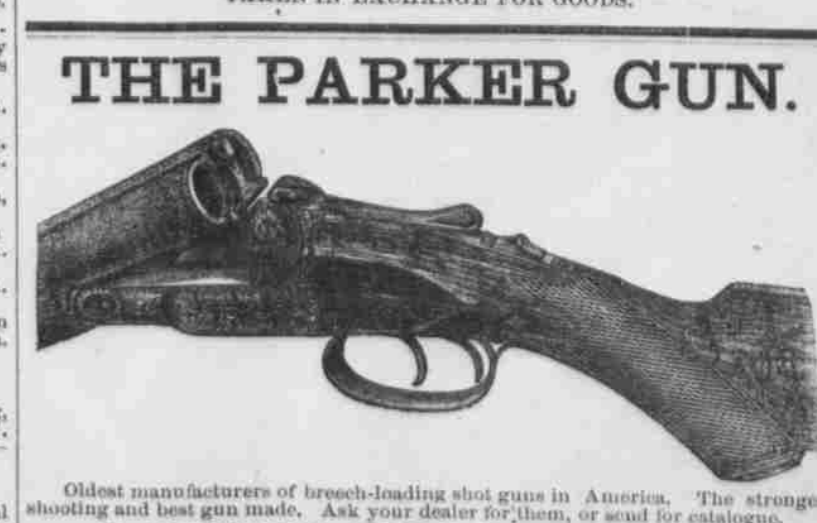
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