

Republican Ticket.

District Attorney, F. M. CLARK, Coroner, DR. J. W. MORROW, County Surveyor, JAMES D. DAVIS.

The Passing of the Legislature.

The Legislature of 1897 has perhaps been the most roundly abused of any that has assembled for years, and never was one more unjustly censured. Time will demonstrate that it was one of the best bodies of representative men, taken as a whole, that has assembled at the State Capital in the past two decades.

ests. It initiated a system of public road improvement through State aid, and it passed two or three hundred other acts that will be found to be good.

Sign The Bill, Governor.

It is noted with a good deal of satisfaction that the mercantile kings of the large cities of the State are making a great kick about the new mercantile tax bill passed by the recent legislature.

THE decline in the deficit is enough in itself to prove that the advance agent of prosperity is coming up to expectations.

OHIO Populists have discovered that the Democratic candidate for Governor is President of a national bank. This will prevent fusion unless the consideration is increased.

UNCLE SAM, during the fiscal year just closed, coined 21,203,701 silver dollars. More than a fourth of the entire coinage was silver.

CORN news will be scanned eagerly from this time until, eight or ten weeks hence, corn is sufficiently matured to stand all sorts of alternations of temperature.

THE best authorities in Cuba think Weyler's campaign in the present "off" season will be as bad a failure as were his demonstrations in the past.

Bills Signed by the Governor.

Among the nearly three hundred bills—mostly appropriation—left on the Governor's hands by the recent legislature he has signed the following of more or less interest to our readers:

The bill creating a State board of dental examiners. The board is to be composed of five experienced dentists, whose duties shall be similar to those of the State medical examiners.

Authorizing married women living apart from their husbands, under agreement, to convey and encumber real estate without the joinder of their husbands.

To provide that one burial permit shall be sufficient for interment in any cemetery within the county.

Relating to the maintenance of the poor in counties not having poor houses. Amending the ballot law by specifying how the names adopted by political bodies may be protected; fixing the time for filing certificates of nominations and nomination papers; limiting the number of times that names of candidates shall appear on the official ballot and prescribing how the same shall be certified by the secretary of Commonwealth.

Providing for the purchase and display of United States flags on public school buildings.

For the destruction of wild cats, foxes and minks. Giving the State preference in the trial and hearing of cases involving the collection of revenues claimed by the State.

Supplement to the act relating to fraudulent debtors authorizing the courts to inquire into the validity of judgment confessed and alleged to be fraudulent and providing the practice thereof.

Requiring borough and township tax collectors to make monthly returns. Providing for the collection of toll on traction engines.

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Burning, itching skin diseases instantly relieved by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, unequalled for cuts, bruises, burns. It heals without leaving a scar. Health & Killmer.

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SHOES HAVE ALSO A SPECIAL PLACE HERE.

Table listing shoe prices: Child's, 25 cents and 50 cents; Women's fine shoes, \$1.25 to \$3.75; Men's fine shoes, \$1.25 to \$5.00.

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Notice. The narrow road, in Hickory township, is about to be rebuilt by the Twp. and will be closed to the traveling public during this present week, and will remain closed for about three months.

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Employers of Aliens.

The new law taxing alien labor in Pennsylvania went into effect July 1st, and employers, whether individuals, associations, partnerships or corporations, should understand the fact that they will be liable for a tax of three cents a day for every unnaturalized alien they employ in any department of labor.

Employers are especially authorized to deduct this tax from the wages of their employes, and they are made directly responsible to the county for the payment of such tax. If any employer shall disregard the law, they will not only be required to pay the tax, but they will be subject to punishment for misdemeanor by the imposition of a fine of not less than \$200 and not exceeding \$1,000 for each offense.

There will doubtless be many efforts made to deceive employers by unnaturalized aliens asserting that they are naturalized, but the law will not excuse employers for being imposed upon in that way. The responsibility imposed upon employers by the law gives them the clear right to demand satisfactory evidence of naturalization when any foreigner claims to be a naturalized citizen.

This law applies to all classes of employers whether they employ one man or ten thousand, and all should appreciate the fact that it will be scrupulously enforced. The workmen in every community are greatly interested in the strict enforcement of the law, and they will be vigilant to the last degree to have the tax collected for every day's labor performed by an unnaturalized alien. This is not a law made for the galleries; it is a law that appeals to the workmen of every section of the state, and when they have it in their power to compel strict obedience to it by every employer.

MR. BRYAN is indirectly giving Greater New York a lift by urging Tammany to nominate a free silverite for Mayor.

KANSAS will have big crops in spite of an occasional hot wind. It is the gold Populist wind that is keeping down the prosperity of the state.

The reporter of a Canadian paper is responsible for the statement that he found Mr. Bryan in bed wearing a heavily embroidered silk night shirt. If Mr. Bryan is not careful he will lose the support of one of his three parties.