J. E. WENK. - EDITOR & PROPRIETOR

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1898.

SPEAKING of the harbor of Havana, our flag is there, and it is never likely to be withdrawn sgain on account operate continuously and with reaof Spanish sensibilities.

the Great Eastern is on the ways at obtaining any rent, should be held as Belfast. The modern leviathan of a forfeiture of the lessee's rights unthe deep is nearly a seventh of a mile | der the lesse, if the lesser chooses to in length.

In an Eastern city a woman adverwilling to cook.

eided to send three.

head and vote to cut off supplies.

THE Maryland Senatorial squabble to give him up. has been happily ended by the election of Judge McComas, one of the time in her history.

lows know you are ready for any lit- in our sister Republic. tle fracas that may be rotted out.

President Cleveland really favored the annexation of Hawii, and based his apparent opposition upon technias well as the sugar trust, was dead which has been and is favored by the Republican party.

THE Dingley law is now producing in round figures a million dollars a day of revenue to the government. That is to say the total receipts of the Treasury Department, including customs, internal revenue, and miscella. armor plate plant, and will go into neous, during the first twenty-four days of January amounted to \$23,- the Government by the throat and 000,000 in round numbers, or an average of practically a million dollars their wares, but Uncle Sam is refor each day. This is extremely en- sourceful, and be still has a few dolcouraging in view of the fact that the will put up his own mill and make expenditures of the government sel- his own armor plate.-Kane Republidom exceed \$365,000,000 in a year, can or an average of a million dollars We are not a bit stuck on the Govper day the year round. It is quite erament going into any private busiapparent from these figures that the ness, but since it has been engagaged prediction of the framers of the law in the printing business for years, that it would produce sofficient reve- coming in direct competition with nue to meet the running expenses printers in every nook and corner of were well founded.

THE Democratic Congressmen and newspapers are bysterical over the sending of the Maine to Havana. On the side of the administration and the Republican party, however, there is no parade or excitement, but simply a determination that the interests of the United States in Cuba shall be maintained in every extremity which can arise. No menace whatever is offered to Spain. If that nation takes n reasonable view of the situation there will be no trouble with this Sam don't get a move on and branch that unless Spain gives up the contest against the insurgents and recognizes that she has not the faintest chance to regain control of the island, intervention must come before long.

We are anxious to do a little good in this world and can think of no pleasanter or better way to do it than by recomnending One Minute Cough Cure as a proventive of pneumonia, consumption and other serious lung troubles that follow neglected colds. Heath & Killmer.

You can get it at Houston.

A DECISION handed down recently by Judge Stowe, of Piteburg, in an that when a lease is dependent for its continuance upon its producing sufficient to pay, and a certain portion of such product is to be given the lessor as rent, the lesses is bound to sonable diligence, and a failure to do so for an unreasonable length of time, An ocean liner 13 feet longer than thereby preventing the lessor from take advantage of it."

THE "enemy's country" has sudtised on the same day tor a woman denly increased very largely in area secretary and a cook. She received for Bryan. Its western boundry is 422 applications but only two were not, as in the campaign of 1896, the Allegbeny Mountains. Altgeld's NATIONAL BANK State is now in the hostile territory, ONE German war-ship at Havana, and so is the State of Chairman Jones. would have insured the safety of There is a chance that before 1900 CAPITAL, German citizens in that port. It is comes Bryan will be calling Altgeld not yet clear why William II. de- and Jones "tools of Wall street" and Nelson P. Wheeler, "enemies of the human race." More- Jerry Crary, over, these are men who can not be Goo. N. Parmlee, THE men who are anxious to drive hypnotized by tricky phrases. They C. Schimmelfeng, a Republican administration into a know Bryan, and will never be de- Christian Smith, hasty war are the very ones who, in luded by him again. The Republicase of hostilities, would turn copper- can party regrets the loss of Bryan, for it could beat him easier in 1900 than it did in 1896, but it will have with good conservative banking.

MR. BRYAN, in his recently pubstaunch Republicans of that State, lished syndicate article on Mexico. to succeed Senator Gorman. This points out as one of the arguments in gives the old commonwealth two Re- favor of the silver standard the fact publican U. S. Senators for the first that Guadalajara is actually putting in a sewerage system and water works and that another city of Mexico is In the eyes of the Democratic press, laying brick sidewalks. Guadalajara which was so energetic in fanning the has a population of about one hunflames of the factional trouble in the dred thousand, while the other city, recent Senatorial fights in Ohio and whose brick sidewalks he proudly Maryland, the Tennessee wrangle is a flaunts before the American people, bitter shame, and the factionists are has a population of fifty thousand. being most roundly abused. Another When it is considered that there are case of great difference as to whose ox hundreds of towns and villages of one-tenth this size in the United States which have already all these NOTHING has as yet been heard to advantages, besides electric lights, drop as a result of the visit of the U. street railways, etc., of which Mr. S. warship Maine to the Cuban capi- Bryan boasts for these free silver tal It is not likely there will be any cities, there is a disposition to wonder trouble, but to make doubly sure if this is the best that this apostle of that there shall be none it is al- free coinage can say in behalf of his ways well enough to let the other fel- pet theory as practically exemplified

SECRETARY GAGE has silenced the THE apparent determination of Mr. carping critics who have been con Bryan to make 16 to 1 and 16 to 1 stantly asserting that he is not in acthe only issue so long as he remains cord with President McKinley in bebefore the country in the position of half of international bimetalism. In chief spokesman and representative a speech delivered at Philadelphia a of Bryan Democracy, has led a good few days since he said: "The politimany silver Democrats all over the cal head of the Republican party has country to the belief that some broad- been active to secure bimetalism uner man, who will not confine himself der the only conditions by which it himself exclusively to a single hobby, can be maintained; namely, internais likely to be a more successful can- tional agreement with open mints to didate for the next national cam- both silver and gold. In his efforts to inaugurate such method, the President heartily supports the principles Ir seems that Senator Morgan was of his party's platform, and in his efmistaken in his assumption that forts he has the support of all the members of his official family, inuendoes and declarations from various sources to the contrary notwithstandcalities which could easily have been ing. Until it can be secured in this removed. Mr. Clevelaud rushed rational manner, we propose to mainpromptly to press on hearing of the tain the kind of bimetalism we have Senator's expression of views, and as- now, under which five hundred milsured the palpitating public that he, lious or more of silver are kept on a parity with gold. Under this standagainst the annexation of Hawaii, and practically for sixty years, and according to the Democratic caudidate's admission for twenty-seven years by statute law, this country has developed and flourished as no other country has."

> THE Government is going to ask for proposals for the erection of an mor plate makers thought they had could hold it up for any price for

the country, and at the same time taking advantage of its ability to print envelopes for very much less than any private establishment can buy the blank paper from which the envelopes are made, we see no reason your Uncle Sam should not embark, not only in the armor plate business, but in every other branch of business -manufacturing and selling clothing, boots, shoes, hardware, groceries, drugs, patent medicines, and Yaukee notions of all sorts, and at cost. For the life of us we can't see why Uncle

You can get it at Hopkins' store. It

Children and adults fortured by burns,

-Do you appreciate good laundry work? if so patronize the Dunkirk Steam Laundry. Miles & Armstrong,

Don't annoy others by your coughing, and risk your life by neglecting a cold. One Minute Cough Cure cures coughs, colds, croup, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. Heath & Killmer.

A few months ago Mr. Byron Every, of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swolen the full length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Baim. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second effected a cure. The 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale by G. W. Bovard.

WARREN

Warren, Penna. \$150,000.00

DIRECTORS: David W. Beaty Wm. D. Brown, Andrew Hertzel, A. T. Scoffeld Chas, Chase H. A. Jamieson

Personal and Business accounts solicited on most favorable terms consistent

Interest allowed on deposits G. N. PARMLEE, Pres.

H. A. JAMIESON, Vice Pres. F. E. HERTZEL, Oashi.

DR. AUGUST MORCE OPTICIAN.

OIL CITY, PA.

Use It

Exclusively optical

To orders drawn

Our brush should be used daily in place of the ordinary hair brush, hair washes, or hair growers. If you do not find, after six months' trial, that

will do all we claim for it send it back and your money will be refunded. You can buy the number one size for

It Is Guaranteed to Cure Nervous Headache in five minutes! Bilious Headache in five minutes! Neuralgia in five minutes ! Dandruff and diseases of the scalp Prevents falling hair and baldness! Makes the hair long and glossy!

For sale at Dry Goods stores and Druggists GEO. A. SCOTT. Ber Broadway, N. V.

WESTERN NEWYORK PENNSYLVANIA RAILWAY

TIME TABLE, in effect Oct. 10, 1897. and points west as follows:

No. 33 Oil City Express, daily 7:46 p. m.

For Hickory, Tidioute, Warren, Kinzua, Bradford, Olean and the East: No. 30 Olean Express, daily 4:19 p. m.

Get Time Tables and full information from W. H. SAUL, Agent, Tionesta, Pa R. BELL, Gen'l Supt. J. A. FELLOWS, Gen'l Passenger & Ticket Agent, General office, Mooney-Brisbane Bld Cor. Main and Clinton Sts., Buffalo, N.Y.

Appeal Notice.

Notice is heroby given that the Com-missioners of Forest county will be at the following places at the time desig-nated, for the purpose of holding appeals for the Trionnial Assessment of 1898; Kingsley Twp., at Kellettville, Thurs-day, Feb. 3, 1898. Howe Twp., at Frosts, Friday, Feb. 4, 1898.

Jenks Twp., at Marienville, Saturday and Monday, Feb. 5 and 7, 1898. Barnett Twp., at Clarington, Tuesday, Green Twp., at Nebraska, Wednesday, eb. 9, 1808.

Tionesta Borough, at Tionesta, Friday,

COUNTY AUDITORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1897.

JAMES H. FONES, Tressurer, in account with Forest County for the year ending interest coupons redeemed. board bill
To an't from A. Gilfillan fine.
To am't from A. Gilfillan costs.
To am't from Jury fees.
To am't from License fees.
To am't from License fees.
To am't from Harmony Township building fund.
To am't from Tionesta Borough By exonerations for 1896.
By exonerations for 1896.
By Collectors' percentages for 1894, '95 and '96.
By Collector's percentages and abatements for 1897.
By 4 pr ct. com. on \$7,725,06, bonds and coupons.
By 4 pr ct. com. on \$17,893,48 orders. 8 00 142 50 427 44 To am't from Green Tp. Poor ac't To am't from State tax on per-sonal indebtedness To am't from State tax returned By 1 pr ct. com. on \$560,47 State By amount to balance..... To am't from unseated tax, 1897 To am't from 60 day list for 1807 To am't from Int. on unseated tax for 1896 To am't from 5 pr et, added to Coll'rs' returns & Coll'rs ac'ts

\$40,023 66 To balance \$10,702 80 JAMES H. FONES, Treasurer of Forest County, in account with the State of Penn-sylvania for the year ending January 3, 1898. To State tax on indebtedness of By printers' bills (Mercantile Forest County.... o Mercantile tax. Appraisement)
By amount uncollectible
By 5 pr ct, com. on \$1,086
By State Treasurer's receipts
By amount to balance 64 00 53 30 918 64 \$1,130 00 JAMES H. FONES, Treasurer, in account with the Redemption Fund for the year ending January 3, 1898. 524 3 CLEARANCE

\$740 44 \$524 36 To balance. JAMES H. FONES, Treasurer, in account with Liquor Licenses for the year end-ing January 3, 1898. \$ 750 00 By am't paid Jenks Township.\$
By am't paid Howe Township.
By am't paid Barnett Twp.....
By am't paid Tionesta Boro.....
By am't to County account......
By 5 pr ct. commission on \$750... To License fees. \$750.00

JAMES H. FONES, Treasurer, in account with the Dog Tax for the year January 3, 1898. \$372.50 JOHN H. ROBERTSON, Prothomotary of Forest County, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 3, 1898. .\$ 307 06 By fees.. .\$ 307.06 FRANK P. WALKER, Sheriff of Forest County, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 3, 1898. .\$ 1,216 86 By fees. By prisoners' board & turnkey

604 60 203 91 By expenses allowed. \$ 1,216 86 \$ 1,216 86 P. M. CLARK, District Attorney of Forest County, in account with Forest County for the year ending January 3, 1898. To orders drawn .\$ 134 00 By fees W. M. COON, Commissioner of Forest County in account with said County for the year ending January 3, 1898. ..\$ 636 91 By 154 days at \$3.50 per day.... \$ By expenses allowed...... To orders drawn \$ 636 91 \$ 636 91 C. M. WHITEMAN, Commissioner of Forest County, in account with said County for the year ending January 3, 1898.

HERMAN BLUM, Commissioner of Forest County, in account with said County for the year ending January 3, 1898. ...\$ 482 83 By 129 days at \$3,50 per day\$ By expenses allowed To orders drawn \$ 482 83

8 484 49

FOREST COUNTY, 88.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Forest County, do hereby certify that we met at the Commissioners' office in said County, according to law, and did audit and adjust the several accounts of the Treasurer, Prothonotary, Sheriff, District Attorney, and the County Commissioners, for the year ending January 3d, 1898, and we found the same as set out in the foregoing report. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 14th day of January, A. D. 1898.

J. R. CLARK, (SEAL)

M. E. ABBOTT, (SEAL)

M. J. FLYNN, (SEAL)

County Auditors.

EXPENDITURES of Forest County for the year ending January 1st, 1808. Proth'y Arner...... Refunding Orders....... S de Walk.... Commonwealth costs Expense.. Express and drayage.... Printing...... District Attorney... Stenographer ... Tip Staff Court Crier Foundations for setting cannons Scalp Bounties Postage..... Fuel and Lights.. Jail Physician 38 38 177 00 821 25 1,487 75 Inquest. 573 50 Constables. Warren Insane Asylum Commissioners' pay...... Collectors' Commission 1894, '95 1,156 80 1,047 39 1,725 00 Repairs to Court House, Grad-'96 and '97. Treas, Commissions Interest Tobacco for prisoners..... Tax on loans. County bonds redeemed. Com'rs Clerk..... Washing for Jail. 14 89 \$27,895 73 FINANCIAL STATEMENT of Forest County for the year ending January 1, 1895 ASSETS. LIABILITIES.

Am't in hands of Co, Treas'r ... \$10,702 80 due from Green Twp.....

Hickory Twp...

Howe Twp....

Tionesta Boro... of seated lands returned .. of liabilities over assets.... 22,639 78

FOREST COUNTY, as,
Pursuant to law we, the undersigned Commissioners of Forest County, publish the foregoing exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of said County for the year ending January 1st, 1828. Witness our hands and seals this 21st day of January, W. M. COON.

C. M. WHITEMAN, [L.s.]
HERMAN BLUM, [L.s.]
County Commissioners.

Divorce Notice.

COUNTY OF FOREST, 88.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sherif of Said County, Greeting:
Whereas, August Johnson did on the 29th day of July, 1897, prefer a petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas for said County, praying for the causes therein set forth, that he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimeny entered into with you, Theresa Johnson.
We, therefore, command you, the said We, therefore, command you, the said Theress Johnson, that, setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Tionesta, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the County of Forest, on the Fourth Monday of February, 1898, to answer the petition or libel of the said August Johnson and to show cause if any you have, why the said August Johnson, your husband, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such case made and provided. Herein fail not.

Witness the Hon. C. H. Noyes, President of our said Court, at Tionesta, the 15th day of January, 1898.

J. H. ROBERTSON, Prothonotary. We, therefore, command you, the said

THE

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT EVER MADE IN

RUBBER SHOES



SERPENTINE ELASTIC STA

prevents cracking at the sides near the sale. A simple remedy which overcomes a long undlag defect in urwalues.

MILES & ARMSTRONG

Competition WAS Never Keener

THAN TO-DAY. IN THE IMPORTANT LINE OF

we offer a Brand that will win your trade, no matter where you are located or where you have been buying your CLOTHING.

DIRECT FROM THE RRW MATERIAL.

For this reason we can Give a Better Grade of Goods for Less Money than you can find Elsewhere. Our Customers appreciate this fact more and more every day, hence our increased business.

THE GREAT CLOAK

SALE.

YOU PAY JUST

ONE-HALF MARKED PRICE.

EVERY CAPE AND JACKET GOES AT A CASH DIS-COUNT OF 50 PER CENT.

> All Ladies Capes and Jackets that were marked \$3,00, now \$1.50. \$4.00, " \$2.00. 86.75, " \$3.38. 88,25, " \$4.13, \$11.50, " \$5.75. \$14.75, " \$7,38.

These Prices Prevail Until Every Garment is Sold.

Bargains all Over Our Store to Make a Clean Sweep for Spring Goods.

CASH BARGAIN MAKERS.

'PHONE 34. - KEPLER BLOCK, - TIONESTA, PA. \$ 484 49

A. WAYNE COOK.

\$35,000 00

Are too busy pulling themselves out of the holiday rush to write a new ad. for their space, but they will be on hand shortly. Meantime they are always ready to supply customers with anything in their line at prices that are shamefully low.

Come and see the bargains we have to offer in dishes.

> NO. 5038. A. B. KELLY,

WM. SMEARBAUGH. Vice President.

\$50,000.

FOREST COUNTY NATIONAL BANK, TIONESTA, PENNSYLVANIA.

CAPITAL STOCK,

A. Wayne Cook,

N. P. Whoeler,

G. W. Robinson, Wm. Smearbaugh, J. T. Dale. J. H. Kelly.

Collections remitted for on day of pryment at low rates. We promise our custom ers all the benefits consistent with conservative b king. Interest paid on time deposits. Your patronage respectfully solicited

T. F. Ritchey.

Lawrence & Smearbaugh.

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, NCTIONS, HATS, CAPS, GROCERIES, QUEENS-WARE, STATIONERY, CANNED GOODS, CUTLERY, JEWELRY, TOBACCO, CIGARS.

BOOTS AND SHOES A SPECIALTY!

GOODS OF FIRST CLASS QUALITY IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

COUNTRY PRODUCE AND CASE TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS