

Republican Ticket.

Associate Judge—R. BRUCE, CRAWFORD.
Prothonotary—JOHN H. ROBERTSON.
Sheriff—JOHN W. JAMIESON.
County Commissioner—JAMES H. MORRISON, CHAS. M. WHITEMAN.
Auditors—JAMES R. CLARK, GEO. L. KING.
Jury Commissioner—GEORGE W. DUNKLE.

The general advance of wages is scarcely regarded by many Bryanites as the crime of 1897.

One church in Hawaii has raised \$10,000 for missionary work in the Philippines. There is more of the modern spirit in some of the Pacific islands than they get credit for.

Several cases of yellow fever are in quarantine near New York without attracting much attention. In recent years the medical department of the city has prevented the spread of the disease in every instance.

"Do you want the flag to go back before an armed force?" asked Gov. Roosevelt of a man who said he was opposed to keeping the Philippines. The Governor stated the case fairly, as far as it has been developed.

Senator Tillman, of South Carolina, comes forward with a theory that the army is enlarged in order to be the protector of trusts. He is at least to be thanked for not calling the army another mother of the trusts.

Judge Harry White of Indiana county is being urged by friends in his section for the nomination for Supreme Judge, by the ensuing Republican State Convention, which meets in Harrisburg, August 24th.

Pennsylvania points with satisfaction to its silk industry whose production is over \$22,000,000, an increase of 33 per cent. since 1895. It is one of many forms of manufacture in the United States of which little is heard, but which are growing rapidly.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Prof. J. L. Allison, of Punxsutawney, Jefferson county has been appointed Census Supervisor for this district, the 14th, comprising Warren, Clarion, Elk, Forest, McKean and Jefferson counties. W. B. Sterrett, of Titusville, is the Supervisor for the 15th district—Crawford, Venango and Erie counties.

The Democratic idea now that the removal of a protective tariff would destroy the trusts is just as stable as the Democratic cry in 1896 that "silver and wheat must always go hand in hand." Democratic theories have met some hard reverses the past few years, but after the wholesome lesson given to all the people of this country under the Wilson bill it seems strange that the protective tariff should be again assailed.

Gen. Otis cables the government from Manila that the "only hope for the insurgent leaders is in United States aid. They proclaim the near overthrow of the present administration, to be followed by their independence and recognition by the United States. This is the influence which enables them to hold out." The situation is the same now as in the civil war. One of the serious embarrassments of the government is the influence of the copperheads at home.

It is useless to deny that the policy of protection to American labor and industry is more or less responsible for the existing deadlock on the wage question between the tin plate manufacturers and their employees. Had there been no protective tariff on tin plate there would certainly be no labor trouble in that industry at the present time, and for the best of all reasons: There would now be no tin plate industry in this country, and the question of wages could not possibly have come up. It will be remembered that prior to the enactment of the McKinley law there were no tin plate mills and hence no labor troubles.

The sensations of the week in matters political were the interviews of Representatives Ward R. Bliss, of Delaware county, and William W. McElhany, of Allegheny, in which both declared their belief that upon a re-convening of the legislature that body would re-elect Senator Quay, and that in deference to the wishes of their constituents they would vote for him. Since both these gentlemen were among the leading anti-Quay members of the last House these declarations are quite significant, and would tend to show that they had "heard from their people" as the saying is. They both claim to have found that the sentiment among the people has undergone a wonderful change since the legislature adjourned and they, like many others, have not been slow to observe the hand writing on the wall. But there will be no extra session. These people had three months in which to make up their minds to vote for Senator Quay, the regular nominee, and didn't do it. There's a whole lot of them will never have the opportunity again to vote for him or any other candidate for U. S. Senator.

Pretty maidens with tempting lips need not be any more afraid of the kissing bug than they are of young men, according to the statement made by Professor John B. Smith, the New Jersey State Entomologist, who declares solemnly and with an air of conviction that the bite of the insect is as harmless as a common, every-night bedbug: "I have been bitten by them many a time," said Professor Smith, "and if anyone will bring me a live kissing bug I will let it sting to its heart's content. We are simply going through a craze like the one we had when spider bites were popular. Everybody who was bitten by any kind of an insect was bitten by a spider. The same is true now. A kissing bug feeds on caterpillars and other insects, and may thus sometimes convey poison, but the insect is no more numerous or dangerous now than it ever was."

Congressman James A. Tawney of Minnesota, who was in Chicago last week, was asked if the Democratic party would not possess the strategic and sentimental advantage, provided both it and the Republican party put strong anti-trust planks into their national platforms in 1900. "No," said he. "Of course it is now commonly said that the formation of trusts is liveliest when a Republican administration is in power. But no man, when he begins to think can ascribe the formation of trusts to the favoring smiles of a federal administration. Trusts are not formed at Washington; they are incorporated under State laws and exist by State permission. They get their charter or right to live from New Jersey or West Virginia or Delaware. The first two are Democratic States, possessing statutes passed by Democratic legislatures, which invite the trusts to form under the aegis of Democratic protection. Delaware is generally Democratic, and her present legislature is not Republican enough to elect a Republican Senator. Trusts naturally thrive under prosperity, like everything else; but the Republican party, which is responsible for prosperity, is not therefore responsible for the formation of trusts. It is the States that are responsible."

Mr. Tawney, who has given study to the matter of trusts, suggested a possible remedy. He said: "The federal power is probably barred by constitutional limitation from dealing with the trusts. The individual States who are mothers of trusts must exert the authority to discipline their offspring. Let the States, such as we have here in the central west—States lying together and composing a gigantic market—let them pass uniform laws in restraint of trusts. Let each of them declare that any domestic corporation seeking combinations in restraint of trade or for the purpose of putting up prices or limiting competition, or any of the usual things common to trusts, shall forfeit its charter. That would kill trusts built out of domestic corporations. Let each State in addition prohibit any foreign corporation—that is any corporation of any sister State which has the nature of a trust or monopoly—from acquiring a status within her borders. Of course no State can interfere with interstate commerce or prohibit the sale of goods brought within her borders, under the original package decision of the Federal Supreme Court. But if a trust could not acquire a status in a State it could not open an office or have a distributing point in that State. It could only enter such a State by selling to rough travelers and importing its wares or commodities in original packages."

"Were ten great States to pass such uniform laws the giant corporations would find their monopoly broken. Ten great States compose a market no trust could afford to disregard, and to do business in that market a trust would be compelled to disburse itself of trust characteristics."

A Fatal Democratic Ally. It was the misfortune of the Democrats in our civil war to have the earnest sympathy of the Southern insurgents who sought to dismember the republic, and that fatal ally deprived them of power in this State and nation for a quarter of a century. They had accidental victories in Pennsylvania by the Republicans defeating themselves, but the day that rebellion threatened the destruction of the Union dated the overthrow of Democratic supremacy.

Since then a Democratic President has been twice elected, but he was successful solely because he was regarded as vastly more acceptable than his party, and Democratic victory was won by Republican votes. From the time that Democracy merited and accepted the sympathy of those who sought to overthrow the republic neither Pennsylvania nor the Union has ever been Democratic on a square party vote.

Just when the Democrats have seen the last vestige of sectional prejudice perish by the soldiers of the blue and the grey fighting side by side in the war with Spain, they are turning to invite the sympathy of an equally fatal ally and one that may doom them to disaster for years to come. The strongest inspiration of Aguinaldo's address urging his people to maintain the war against the United States, is his public boast that the Democrats of the nation are in sympathy with them and their cause.

That he has been encouraged to continue the war and entice his followers with the hope of success by Democratic opposition to national expansion and to the war with the Filipinos cannot be doubted, and the patriotic people of the country will keenly appreciate the attitude in which Democratic leaders have placed their party before the nation. No political party can maintain itself in this country by opposing the prosecution of a war that is already upon us. The patriotic sentiment that strengthens our brave soldiers in the field in their heroism to maintain the flag will have more respect for the barbarous Tagals than for those who maintain a cowardly fire in the rear to strengthen the enemy and multiply the sacrifice of brave soldiers. If the Democrats would hope to make a successful battle in 1900 they must take prompt measures to prevent Aguinaldo from pleading their cause before his murderous barbarians in the Philippines.—Phila. Times, Democratic.

On the 4th of July Chill W. Hazard of Monongahela City, an ex-Commander of the Department of Pennsylvania, G. A. R., a prominent Mason and a leading member of the Royal Arcanum of the United States, was stricken with paralysis. His condition has not changed since first attacked. He is unable to speak and is unconscious much of the time. It will be heard with regret all over Pennsylvania, and particularly among his comrades of the Grand Army, that his physician entertains no hope of his recovery.

Notice. All persons are hereby notified that I have sold the property known as the Tionesta Tinning & Plumbing Co. to G. E. Gerow, by whom the business heretofore was conducted. All claims against the Company must be presented to T. F. Ritchey for settlement, and those owing the Company will please pay same to him at once. H. W. HORNBER. June 23, 1899.

The W. N. Y. & P. Ry. will run one of their popular low rate excursions to Buffalo and Niagara Falls, Thursday, July 27th. Special train will leave Tionesta at 6:45 a. m. Fare for the round trip \$2.50. Train will arrive at Buffalo 12:15 noon; Niagara Falls 1:15 p. m. Returning, special train will leave Niagara Falls 8:00, Buffalo 8:45 p. m. Tickets also good for return passage on all regular trains Friday, July 28th. Do not miss this outing. Tickets sold at reduced rates on the excursion train for Niagara Falls Electric Roads American and Canadian side.

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By emt. pd. Treas on 60 day list \$ 481 66 By 5 pr ct. on 90 day list (\$81,061) 24 98 By 2 pr ct. col. fee on \$81 06 9 63 By amt pd. by Col. 349 00 By 5 pr ct. col. fee on \$349 00 17 45 By land returns 190 79 By exonerations 30 01 By amt pd. Treas. after Jan 15, 1898 105 71 By 5 pr ct. col. \$105 71 5 28 \$1113 61

Wm. Lawrence Twp. Treas. Dr. To bal. from last year in Treas. \$ 919 40 To recd. from Co. Treas. unassigned land tax 1047 99 To recd. from Jesse Carson 1066 60 To recd. from tuition 33 84 To recd. from county 425 60 To recd. from State 1094 95 \$4587 78 Cr. By orders redeemed \$3875 17 By 2 per cent com. 77 50 Bal due township 635 11 \$4587 78

GENERAL STATEMENT. Amt. of borrowed money on int. \$1940 30 Orders not bearing int. outstanding 37 30 Total \$1977 60 Amt. in Township Treas. 635 11 Net indebtedness \$1342 49 We the undrsig'd auditors of Tionesta Twp., do certify that the foregoing report is correct to the best of our ability. J. C. HOOPER, J. H. WENTWORTH, WILLIAM MEALY, Auditors.

R. A. STITZINGER, Clerk. TIME TABLE, in effect Oct. 30, 1898. Trains leave Tionesta for Oil City and points west as follows: No. 31 Buffalo Express, daily except Sunday 12:00 noon. No. 61 Way Freight (carrying passengers), daily except Sunday 4:30 p. m. No. 33 Oil City Express, daily except Sunday 7:46 p. m. No. 30 Oil City Express, daily except Sunday 8:00 p. m. Oil City Extra, Sunday only 8:00 p. m.

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