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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Republican Primaries, April 7, 1900.

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#### ASSEMBLY.

We are authorized to announce Dr. A. M. DOUTT, of Tionesta Borough, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to Re-

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. BLACK, of Howe Twp., as a candidate for Assembly, subject to Republi-

candidate for Assembly, subject to Re-

We are authorized to announce Dr. S. S. TOWLER, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to Republican usages.

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We are authorized to announce Z. S. HIMES, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to Republican usages.

#### STATE DELEGATE.

We are authorized to announce A. R. MECHLING, of Barnett township, as a candidate for Delegate to the Republican | that remain to them and the gain in the State Convention.

CRONJE will be remembered for his stubborn defense rather than for his sur-

In his Southern tour Bryan is doing one noticeable thing. He has largely cut down his remarks about expansion.

EXTANSION was not in the last Repuplican platform. But it was in the nation's destiny and Republicans have live up to it.

THE Boston "Herald" seems to think that McKinley and Bliss would be a rath- without him. So they are disposed to er more unctuous ticket than Bryan and let matters drift, knowing at least that

Outo will ask Congress for a ship canal to connect Lake Eric and the Ohio River. The new century promises to open with a general discussion of big waterways.

"Coin" Harveys's new book has not met with sufficient demands to even warrant a second edition. It appears that the people are presperous and contented this year.

ALTOELD insists that the Republicans in 1896 won by corruption. The Republican plura ity in Illinois of 143,098 looks more like a universal effort to get on the side opposite Al geld.

CECIL RHODES' first public speech after the relief of Kimberley should not have been of a strictly commercial nature. He would realize this himself if he took a gun and tried to get at Cronie.

A PARTY of Japanese cotton mill owners is traveling through New England to Legislature. study American machinery, and they have already seen enough to convince them that they must reconstruct their

THE Goebel machine in Kentucky has ground out its report against the minor state officers who received a plurality. As long as the Goebel law is in force all public questions will be decided mechanically without regard to the ballot.

It is becoming entirely apparent that the "anti-imperialist" movement, as pursued by the Democrats, is not based on any ideas of a superior sense of right and justice or any humanitarian desires to three votes in the last Legislature from see a high order of liberty accorded a Mercer, and two of them were against semi-barbarious people, but is solely a Quay. The bolting members have been desire of Democratic leaders to embarrass overwhelmed and in the next Legislature a Republican arminis ration which has there will be three Republican votes for carried two wars to a successful tarmina- Quay.

THE tax rate in Pittsburg, for city pur- in behalf of regularity. A Republican poses, has been advanced two mills on has a right to his opinion in a Republithe dollar. The tax rate is now higher can caucus, but when the majority has than ever before, and higher than any expressed its opinion he cannot justify other city in the Union. And every de- himself for opposing that opinion. When partment is Republican through and he does that he denies the right of the through.-Brookville Democrat, Not ex- majority to rule, and majority rule is a actly, neighbor. Every department is fundamental principle of government in thoroughly under the management of this country. Magee & Flinn, the gentlemen who are At Harrisburg a year ago in a regularengaged in "reforming" the Republican larly called caucus a large majority of the

"WE are to-day Greater America, but The time has come for the Republican that greatness will be lost if we forget the voters of the State to declare themselves political philosophy which has made us on this point. They did it Saturday in great-expansion of American thought, a most pronounced manner, and they did mechanical skill, civilization and the it by repudiating the bolters. philosophy of develope nent. Under a It is becoming evident that Flinn polidestiny unforeseen and uncontrolled by tics and methods won't work. us, the power and institutions of the nation have been planted in the East. I be- Boiter shall rule this State. lieve that if we do our duty it means not only the elevation and uplifting of the people of that far off land, but that it will add to the power and glory of our free institutions and the commercial supre- add largely to the revenues of the State macy of the nation."-Senator McLaurin | This is very evident from the returns al-(Democrat) of South Carolina in the U.S. ready received at the Auditor General's

ONLY two hundred and nine new tex- upon any dealer doing a business of less tile mills were established during the than \$1,000 a year, but the new law taxes year which recently closed. Only two every dealer \$2, and in addition retailers hundred and nine. Yet we perceive in must pay I mill for every dollar's worth that fact no cause for incensolable sor- of business. Wholesalers pay a license row. The year before one hundred and tax of \$3 and 34 mill on every dollar's seventy-two were founded, while the worth of business. Under the old law record for the year preceding that shows about 61,000 dealers paid the tax, but unone hundred and fitty-five. The gain der the present law about 150,000 dealers shown by these figures is, therefore, seen will help to swell the treasury receipts. to be steady, but even if it had been Under the old act the income from this smaller there would have been no need source was about \$600,000 a year, but the to apologize for the influence of Repub- new law will probably bring in about lican politics on the national industries. \$1,200,000. For instance, one dealer last Refore the advent of these policies year paid \$70 mercantile tax; this year through the election of McKinley and a he will pay \$750. Another paid \$1,000 sound money Congress the closing of last year; this year he will pay \$20,000. mills, not their opening or establishment It is not difficult to figure how largely was the usual rule. - Phila. Inquirer. the revenues will be increased under this

#### The Democratic Dilemma.

Speaking of the proceedings of the Democratic National Committee in Wasnington last week, the correspondent of a Boston paper that supported Cleveland says in winding up a report of the meeting: "Behind the scenes it was interesting to observe that the majority of the committeemen do not now expect that Mr. Bryan will be elected." On the face of the situation Bryan has no reasonable hope of success, and the Democrats in control of the party machinery know it perfectly well. Yet all of them will declare his nomination is certain, and probably by a unanimous vote. There is here something of a political paradox, but it has been brought about by a sequence of events. Time alone can deliver the Democratic party from its singular position. It is inevitably committed to a candidate who will be beaten, as the managers behind him forsee. The causes of this predicament are not hard to find. In 1896 the Democratic party abandoned its old creed and went into a fusion with another party. It can not We are authorized to announce JOHN retrace its steps. Its position is hope-J. HAIGHT, of clowe township, as a lessly bad, but there is none better in sight, and circumstances compel it to fight the second battle on the general alignment of the first. Since the last presidential trial of

strength there have been three fall elec-

tions in various states and in all of them

an evident loss of ground for the Bryan-

ites. The states that have left their col-

umns are Kansas, Washington, South

Dakota and Wyoming. Maryland went

Democratic last year, but on a platform

written by Mr. Gorman and making no

mention of free coinage. Some suggest

idea in the national fight this year. It

could only be done with some other can-

didate, for Bryan and silver are synonymous. To drop Bryan would cost the

Democrats all the Transmississippi states

Eastern or border states would be prob-

lematical. An election practically on

the Gorman plan was held in New York

in 1898 and the Republicans carried the

state, with a plurality for Roosevelt over

Van Wyck of 17,786. The Republicans

won in New York decisively again last

year on the vote for Legislature. Though

party lines were much broken in Ohio

last fall, the Republican plurality was

larger than usual and the Democratic ag-

gregate vote one of the smallest compar-

As far as the facts of the political situ-

ation are revealed the Democrats can

make nothing either with Bryan or

another defeat will lessen his superficial

popularity, representing now, as always,

a great deal more noise than votes. The

Republican party holds the vantage

grou dot having redeemed its pledges

and also of having conducted the nation

through a series of unexpected and ser-

ious emergencies. It has momentous

work on hand connected with the coun-

try's expansion and it would not be busi-

nesslike to turn it over to new hands and

a hostile party, bent on destroying what

has been done rather than bettering it.

Possibly the Democratic National Con-

vention of 1900, like that of 1896, may be

seized with a sudden impulse and do

something extraordinary; but no matter

what ticket or sensation is ground out at

Kansas City the electoral table gives the

Democrats no encouragement whatever.

Practically a Clean Sweep

already captured everything in Jefferson

and Snyder counties, says the Phila. In-

The issue everywhere was Quay. It

was Quay on the one side and the Bill

Flinn Insurgents and Bolters' Brigade

on the other. In every county the bolt-

ers made a contest, and newhere was

there the slightest misunderstanding of

the issue. The result was the repudia-

In Mercer county this repudiation

And so it goes. The great Republican

vote in Pennsylvania is declaring itself

Republican membership nominated

Quay for Senator. A minority bolted.

No insufferable Pittsburg Boss and

New Law Adas to Revenues.

The new mercantile tax law is going to

department. Under the old law there

was no assessment of a mercantile tax

amounts to revolution. There were

tion of the bolters.

atively in the history of the State,

that the Democrats might try Gorman's

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from the tax.

operation of the law. There is only one

difficulty about its enforcement, which

the Legislature will probably remedy:

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easy to understand bow in his zeal to in-

crease his own compensation he may go

farther than the law contemplates. As a

matter of fact, complaints on this -core

have already been received at the Audit-

or General's department. All sorts of

small venders, who are clearly not sub-

ject to the tax, have been returned and

compelled to pay \$2. The law requires

that a sworn return shall be made to the

mercantile appraiser of the business of

the preceding year, and this return is

made the basis for the assessment of the

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likely that there will be many appeals



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