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REPUBLICAN NATIONAL TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT, WILLIAM McKinley, of Ohio. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, GARRET A. HOBART, of New Jersey.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Congressman-at-Large, GALUSHA A. GROVE, of Susquehanna. SAMUEL A. DAVENPORT, of Erie. For Electors-at-Large, JOSEPH WHITTON, of Philadelphia. ALEXANDER E. PATTON, of Clearfield. WILLIAM WITHERSON, of Allegheny. PETER L. KIMBERLY, of Mercer.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

Congress, THOMAS M. MAHON of Franklin Co. Senate, WILLIAM HERTZLER, of Luzerne. Legislature, CARL F. ESPENSHADE, of Luzerne. Associate Judges, W. NORTH SHERBERT, of Luzerne. LEONARD R. MAERZ, of Luzerne. Probationary, W. H. ZIEGLER, of Luzerne. District Attorney, MICHAEL R. BASHORE, of Luzerne. Co. Commissioners, MICHAEL R. BASHORE, of Luzerne. J. LEUDENBERGER, of Luzerne. Co. Treasurer, WILLIAM W. LAVERIS, of Luzerne. Co. Auditors, T. K. M. BASHORE, of Luzerne. H. B. HARTMAN, of Luzerne.

The republican camp fires are being lighted. Meetings are being held almost every evening.

Bryan promises if elected to do away with the National Banks and the whole financial system under which the nation is now working. What he and his friends will set up to take the place of the system to be torn down, has not been revealed.

One of the funniest features of the present campaign and one which is calculated to excite suspicion and envious and jealous people, and people out of work and poor people, is the one that the Bryan people use, namely, a denunciation of every rich man and millionaire. They denounce the rich and declare that the Bryan party are the poor people's friend, which is all funny enough in the light of the fact that they have a millionaire on their ticket for Vice President. Sewall is a millionaire. So when they denounce the millionaires, they denounce their own ticket. They are funny people.

Three years ago the democrats were denouncing the republicans for passing a law of Congress, requiring the Government to buy \$4,500,000 silver every month, and three years ago President Cleveland had an executive session of Congress called to repeal the republican silver law. He said he would repeal the law, but he never did. See the change: Within the past three years since the repeal of the silver law by the democrats, the democrats have changed and now are asking for a free coinage law that will open the mints to the coinage of silver from any and every part of the world. We were the democrats against silver three years ago and in favor of it now.

The revolutionary wing of the democratic party of Pennsylvania, met in convention at Harrisburg last Thursday and undid all that was done by the democratic State convention that met at Allentown last April, and wherever one of the delegates of the Allentown convention turned up in the Harrisburg convention and professed to believe what he said at Allentown last April, and refused to take any part in the platform. Allentown, he was promptly refused a seat in the Harrisburg convention. It was run by the same methods that prevailed in the Chicago Convention that nominated Bryan. Garman was an apt scholar in his boyhood days, and when he this summer learned revolutionary methods in the Chicago Bryan convention, he applied them among the democrats at Harrisburg last week.

The democratic State Convention at Harrisburg last week, made short work of the Jeffersonian democrats. It ruled the Jeffersonian democrats in their place and set the platform that was adopted by the democratic State Convention in April. What must the rank and file of the democratic party think of its two conventions held only three months apart, pulling in opposite directions. The one party is working for Palmer and Buckner for President and Vice President on a platform for sound money and the Wilson tariff law. The other party is working for Bryan for President and Watson and Sewall for Vice Presidents, on a platform for free silver, the Wilson tariff law and the old doctrine of State rights by which the Southern States in 1860, organized rebellion in the interest of slavery. Reader, as you value your own best interests, which are involved in the general good, don't vote either ticket of the platform. The man who is working for the man in the company, who if they had the management of the concern could have made it go. But taken as a Company it was a failure; a roasting business failure, and all the belief to the contrary can put no other face upon it. So it is with the democratic party. It is not competent to man-

age the affairs of the country. One may say they believe it is incompetent to conduct the affairs of the Government, but in the face of the facts; in the face of the wreck of the manufacturing industries caused by democratic National legislation, and in the face of the fact that said legislation has closed thousands of manufacturing establishments and thereby thrown almost two million men out of employment, and made them and their families dependent upon the charity of the public or charity of individuals. In the face of such facts, beliefs and imaginations are nothing, and only indicate that people who so believe do not have an intelligent comprehension of the situation.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Reported by B. F. Burchfield. Court was called at 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, September 7, 1896. The first business done being to take the constables returns.

Beale township's constable returns a bridge near Robert Nool's shop out of repair. In Patterson on Foster street at south end, reported fenced up and McCulloch street at west end and an alley between Foster and Mowery at South end.

The constable of Fayette returns a number of persons as common gamblers and for keeping a gambling house, and to these offences the court called the attention of the District Attorney.

The grand jury was called, sworn and charged by the court. Mr. Landis vs. Landis, divorce. Reply to answer of respondent for rule for alimony, filed.

Estate of Jesse Rice, deceased. Wilberforce Schweier, Esq., filed his report as Auditor, and also his report in the estate of Margaret J. Allen, deceased.

Annie E. Campbell vs. John A. Campbell. An alias subpoena in divorce was awarded.

Philip Pannabaker was appointed to wait upon the grand jury and Joseph John and Howard Losh to wait upon the court.

Robert G. Dubbs was appointed constable of Tuscarora township, vice John M. Dubbs removed from the township.

On motion of defendant's counsel, the case against Charles W. Ramsey for murder, was continued because he is confined in the State Hospital for insane at Harrisburg and unfit, mentally and physically to be tried.

A writ of partition was awarded in the estate of Martha Kissinger, deceased. A sale of the interest of William John McManigal and Grace McManigal, minor children of William McManigal, deceased, in a lot in Port Royal, the estate of their grandfather, John McManigal, deceased, was decreed by the court and George W. Wilson, their guardian, was authorized to file a bond with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, the other heirs being about to convey their interest to said Company.

A side of the warehouse property of Noah Hertzler's heir, under similar circumstances to the same Company was decreed.

A new bond was filed and substituted by said Company in the case of the Cooper log, and P. Parker's heirs. A new petition for leave to file in the matter of the settlement of W. W. Bratton, a lunatic, Will L. Hoopes, Esq., was appointed to take testimony.

An order was made on Levi H. Goshe, deceased, to pay over to the heirs the several sums due them from the estate and costs of audit on or before September 22nd, 1896.

A soldier's license to peddle was granted to Wm. Shover. A decree allowing the assignee of said Alexander A. Crozier to recover real estate not needed to pay debts to heirs of said Crozier—he being now dead—was made.

A writ of partition was awarded in estate of Henry Nichols, deceased. In assigned estate of Samuel M. Coffman, the order of sale was enlarged to December 7, 1896.

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LEGAL.

EXCECUTOR'S NOTICE. Letters testamentary on the estate of Edward A. Smith, late of Mexico, Walker township, Juniata county, Pa., having been granted in due form of law to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the said estate to present their claims for settlement to KATE V. SMITH, Executrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Christiana Briggs, deceased. Whereas letters of administration on the estate of Christiana Briggs, late of Walker township, Juniata county, Pa., deceased, have been issued out of the Orphan's Court to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement. JACOB BRIGGS, Walker township, Pa., August 16, 1896.

PROTHONOTARY'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the following account has been filed in the Prothonotary's Office of Juniata county, and the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance to the Court of Common Pleas of said county, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September, A. D., 1896, when and where all persons interested may attend if they think proper.

The first and final account of J. G. Hornberger, assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Christiana Valley of Monroe township. W. H. ZIEGLER, Prothonotary's Office, Proth'y, Millintown, Pa., Aug. 22, 1896.

REGISTER'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the following names have been filed in the Register's Office of Juniata county, and the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance at an Orphan's Court to be held at Millintown, Pa., on Tuesday, the 22nd day of September, A. D., 1896, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

1st. First and Final account of Edward C. Shope, administrator of Adam Shope, late of Susquehanna township, Dec'd. Hoopes, Atty.

2nd. Final account of the estate of George W. Cross, deceased, late of the borough of Port Royal, Juniata county, Pa. 3rd. The First and Final account of Jeremiah Lyons, Executor of the last will and testament of Mary McAllister, late of the borough of Millintown, Juniata county, Pa., dec'd.

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5th. The First and Final account of S. H. Grubb, administrator of the estate of W. P. Davis, late of the village of Richfield, Juniata county, Pa., deceased. 6th. The First and Partial account of E. L. McWilliams, administrator, dec'd, of John P. McWilliams, late of Beale township, Juniata county, Pa., deceased. Neely, Atty.