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REPUBLICAN NEWS ITEM,

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SENATOR PENROSE SPEAKS.

"The action of the state convention in making an unequivocal declaration pledging the Republican organization of Pennsylvania to McKinley's renomination," said Senator Boies Penrose, emphatically, "was undoubtedly in accord with the sentiment of the Republicans of the state. The campaign just closed with such gratifying results was conducted upon the issue that support of the Republican state ticket meant an indorsement of the McKinley administration and concurrence in the pledge of the platform of the Republican state convention to favor the renomination of the president. The verdict of the people of this commonwealth is eminently complimentary to the McKinley administration, and when coupled with the splendid Republican victory in Ohio, the president's own state, it makes a magnificent tribute from the American people. The matter of the election of stalwart Republicans as delegates to the Republican national convention will now be taken up by the Republican voters of the respective districts, and I have no doubt that no state in the Union will send a delegation to the next national convention which will more satisfactorily and truly represent the sentiments of the Republicans of their respective districts than will that from Pennsylvania."

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"The vote at last Tuesday's election," said Attorney General John P. Elkin, "must be, indeed, gratifying to every sincere friend of the president. Pennsylvania will know no other choice for the presidency in 1900. A ropular vote has already indicated the popular favorite. It now devolves upon the men identified with the party organization in the various congressional districts to select stalwart, representative Republicans who will go to the national convention pledged to President McKinley's renomination. It was a happy thought to have had the recent Republican state convention on record thus early, and it is pleasing to find the sentiment of the voters of the state so cordially concurring in the proposition. The splendid organization which has withstood the onslaughts of political insurgents and guerrillas for so many campaigns will be lined up against any efforts to break into the national delegation in the interest of any candidate other than President McKinley, and the organization will be found thoroughly competent to thwart any scheme or intrigue to divide the delegation against President McKinley."

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GUFFEY WORKING FOR BRYAN. Colnel James M. Guffey, the mem-ber of the Democratic national com-Coinel James M. Guffey, the member of the Democratic national committee from Pennsylvania, and the acknowledged leader of the party in this state, is attending to the matter of selecting a Bryan delegation. He has within the last few days publicly declared that "nothing but declination or death can prevent Bryan securing the Democratic nomination for president next year." Colonel Guffey, it will be recalled, was elected to the mational committee when the fight was made upon William F. Harrity by the free silver men after the last presidential election. The action of the last Democratic state convention in referring to William Jennings Bryan as "our matchless leader" expressed the sentiment of the rank and file of the Democratic organization of this state. No matter what may be Colonel Guffey's personal and private views upon the question of 16 to 1, or the income tax, or the various other features of the iniquitous Chicago platform, he must at least pretend to believe in them all if he wants to hold on to them all if he wants to hold on to the leadership of the Democratic ma-chine. The people of the state by the vote at last Tuesday's election showed vote at last Tuesday's election showed conclusively that they recognized the fact that the Democratic candidates and the Democratic leadership represented Bryanism and that a vote for the Democratic ticket could fairly be construed as a vote of confidence in Bryan and the Bryan machine in Pennsylvania. The fact that the Democratic party in Pennsylvania refuses to be divorced from Bryanism will ultimately mean that many former Democrats will cease to have anything to do with the Democratic party as at present constituted, and they will ultimately become full fledged Republicans.

HOW DELEGATES ARE CHOSEN. The Democrats do not elect their The Democrats do not elect their delegates to the national convention in the same manner as the Republicans. The Republicans name two delegates and two alternates from each congressional district in the same manner in which candidates for the national house of representatives are chosen. The delegates and alternatesat-large are elected by the Republican state convention. In the Democratic party the delegates to the Democratic state convention elect the national delegates. A majority of the state delegates from each congressional district recommend to the state convention the names of those they deal district recommend to the state convention the names of those they desire elected to the national convention and it, is customary for the convention to concur in these recommendations. These district delegates, as well as the delegates and alternates-atlarge, must be elected by the state convention.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Telegraphic Gleanings From All Parts of the World.

The League Island navyyard force has been reduced for lack of funds.

The transport Lennox has sailed for Manila from Portland, Ore., with

No trace has been found of the four engineers and surveyors lost on the Gulf of California.

Lawrence Dowling was probably fatally crushed while coupling cars at Elizabeth, N. J., Saturday.

John B. Sherman, the aged president of the Union Stock Yards and Transit Company of Chicago, has re-

General satisfaction is expressed at the appointment of ex-Governor Fif-er, of Illinois, to the Interstate Commerce Commision.

Assemblyman Robert Mazet, of the New York Legislature, and Miss El-sie Moore were married at Bolton-on-Lake-George, Saturday.

A railroad locomotive exploded at Lancaster, Pa., killing Fireman Abra-ham Neff and badly scalding Engineer Michael Donohue.

The Atlas Tack Company's property in Boston, New York and else-where has been ordered for sale by receivers on December 9, at Boston.

Survivors of the crew of the chooner William M. Bird have reached the city of Baltimore and told of the ac cident to that vessel in which it was wrecked on Frying Pan Shoals, with the loss of ten men, including Capt.

Careful preparations have been under way for some time at the Williams Bay, (Wis.,) observatory to observe the meteoric shower soon to oc-

It has been arranged that the hospital ship Solace shall sail at once from San Francisco, with marines for Guam and supplies and men for the fleet

The Yale treasurer says that the university will earry the Marsh will case to the supreme court if necessary.

Republicans claim Taylor's election in Kentucky by 3,438 plurality, and Democrats Goebel's by 941 plurality. The three-story store and office building on the site of the old Grand Un-ion Hotel at Whitehall, N. Y., was

destroyed by fire Thursday. Extensive preparations have been made at the University of California to observe the meteoric shower next

Ex-Gov. J. W. Fifer, of Illinoiis, has been appointed a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission to suc ceed W. J. Calhoun, resigned.

Twenty-one persons were injured, but none of them fatally, in the wreck on the Michigan Central Railroad at Vienna, Mich., Thursday night.

The miners of southern and western Illinois threaten to strike if coal continues to be shipped from the state to the regions in the southwest where a strike is now in progress.

Assemblyman Lewis, of Rochester, N. Y., has seen Gov. Reosevelt in regard to the introduction of his bill again in the legislature this winter for the repeal of the Horton sparring law.

The Michigan Central Railroad will give a reward of \$2,500 for the capture and conviction of the persons or person who caused the wreck near Toledo, Thursday night.

Senator M. A. Hanna of Ohio, says the Republican National Committee will meet in Washington about Dec. 14 to decide on a date and place of the 1900 National convention.

General Wheaton's force in the Philippines met with some opposition in landing at Dagupau, but successfully overcame it and at last accounts the American force was moving eastward.

General Buller, at Cape Town, in South Africa, has cabled that General White reports the Boers bombarding of Ladysmith as having done little or no harm. The defenses, he says are becoming very strong. Gen. White the Boeis, who fired on a truce party

Rear Admiral Bradford, in his Naval Bureau annual report, urges the ne-cessity for adequate coaling stations

abroad. Gen. Wheaton's column has landed at Dagupan, Lingayen Gulf, in the Philippines, and advanced eastward, two men being wounded by Tagals.

A Paltimore & Ohio passenger train collided with a freight train on a high trestle near Wilmington, Del., knocking cars off and injuring sever-

Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen were married Thursday in St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church rectory, at Washington, Rev. Dr. Mackin offici-

The public sale of Elyton Company, at Birmingham, Ala., having been confirmed, a reorganization by New Yorkers has been planned for the next few days.

The Rhode Island Institution for Savings at Providence has paid 101/2 per cent. more of its debt, making a

tota 1 of 95½ per cent., and is going to wind up its affairs. The New York Legislature will probably make several changes in the Greater New York charter on recommendation of the Assembly Investi-

News from Ladysmith dated Tuesdriy by carrier pigeon, told of the safe-ty of the town, though the Boers had bombarded it and several officers and then had been killed.

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Rye Flour 25 pounds, 50c. Graham Flour 121 pounds 30c Common Fine Salt per barrel \$1.20. J. W. Buck opens a new lot of lumbermen's gum shoes this week, also a line of men and women's over

New buckwheat flour at J. W. Bucks.

Register's Notice.

shoes.

Notice is hereby given that the following acounts have been filled in my office, viz: First and final account of A. C. Bower, Adminstrator of Elizabeth Bower, deceased. First and final account of Christian E. Heinze, executor of Frederick Heinze, deceased, First and final account of Phillip Tubach 8r, diministrator of Mrs. Balbina Bellian Tubach, eccased.

Register's office, Laporte Pa., Nov. 13, 1899.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned Anditor appointed by the Court of Common Fleas to distribute the fund arising from the Sheriff's Soloit the real estate of D. W. Persun at the suit of the real estate of D. W. Persun at the suit of the Indian and the Sheriff's Soloite of the Sheriff's Auditoration of the Sheriff's Soloite of the Sheriff's Auditoration that the second the Sheriff's Sheriff's Auditoration that the second the Sheriff's S

Trial List, December Term, 1896.
Return day, Monday, Sept. 11, 1896. at 2 p.m.
1 Eugenia D, Weiner vs. Lajorte township school District, No.49 May term 1897. Ejectment Plea, not guilty. Thompson. I Mullen. Laporte, No. 107, Sept. term 1898. belt. appeal. Plea "inon assumpsit" payment, payment with leave to give special matters in evidedce. Mullen. I Inghaus.
3 The Dushore Water Co. vs The Bero of Dushore, No. 1, December term, 1898. Assumpsit, Plea non assumpsit, and stet off, with leave to give special matter in evidedce. Downs. | Cronin & Inghaus.

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COURT PROCLAMATION.

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WHEREAS, HON. E. M. DUNHAM, President Judge, Honombles John S. Line and Courad Kruts, Associate Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jati Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphams' Court and Common Pleas for the County of sullivan, have issued their precept, bearing date the 20 day of Sept. 1899, to me directed of aporte, on Monday the 1189, to he county, that they of Lecember 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Therefore, notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Feace and Coustables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper person at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions examinations and other rememberances to those things to which their offices apportain to be done. And to those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

H. W. OSLER, Sheriff.

Sheriff, Oslice, Lanorte, Pa., Oct. 28, 1299.

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7 35 12 35 Satterfield		7 55	2 30	

Also the following widows appraisanents have been filled:
Widows appraisanent in the estate of William Sterman deceased.
And the same will be presented to the Orphans Court of Sullivan county on Monday, Dec. 11, 1899, at 3 o'clock p. m. for confirmation and allowance.

WM. J. LAWRENCE, Register.
Register's office, Laporte Pa., Nov. 13, 1899.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE—The undersigned Auditations—leave Williamsport 4:30 p.m.; arrive Halls 4.51 p.m. From Phila, New York and intermediate stations—leave Williamsport 4:30 p.m.; arrive Halls 4.51 p.m. From Phila, New York and intermediate stations—leave Williamsport 4:30 p.m.; arrive Halls 4.51 p.m. From Phila, New York and intermediate stations—leave Williamsport 7:42 a.m., 10:00 a.m., Arrive Halls 7:59 a.m. 10:00 a.m., Arrive Halls 7:59 a

iate stations—leave Phila, 10.21 a.m. and 11.36 p.m; leave New York,via Phila, 7 30 a.m. 9.00 p.m.; leave-New York via Ta-magua, 9 10 a.m. Arrive Halls, 6.34a.m.

and 5.21 p. m.
From Shamokin and intermediate sta-tions—leaves Shamokin 8.10 a. m. Ar-rive Halls 9.49 a.m. Connecting with L. V. RR. at Satterfield.

leave Wilkesbarre 3.05 p. m.; arrive at Satterfield 6.25 p. m. For Towanda and intermediate stations, leave Bernice 6.40 a.m.; arrive Satterfield 7.04 a. n. For Wilkesbarre and intermediate sta-tions—leave Towanda 6.45 a.m. and 10.30 a.m.; arrive Satffield, 7.52 a. m. 1.04 p. m. STAGE LINES

Stage leaves Hughesville post office for Lairdsville, Mengwe and Philipsdale daily Wilson, Beaver Lake and Fribley on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 11.30 Stage leaves Glen Mawr for Hillsgrove and Forksville at 11.02 a.m. Stage leaves Muney Valley for Unityville, North Mountain and Lungerville daild at 11.19 a.m.

Passengers taking trains at dag stations can secure train excursion tickets from the conductors.

Philadelphia & Reading, Lehigh Valley and New York Central mileage will be accepted only for through passengers traveling from Halls to Satterfield or Satterfield to Halls.

The general offices of the company are located at Hugheeville, Pa.

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B. HARVEY WELCH. President, Hughsville, Pa.

S. D. TOWNSEND, Mgr. Hughsville, Pa.

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