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Harrisburg, Jan. 23.—Reports of the past week of political developments in the state show a steady gain of the stalwart Republican element in strengthening their control of the Republican organizations by success at the primaries and the meetings of county committees. York county, where the insurgents have been claiming everything in sight, has just elected a full set of county committee officers who are in touch with the regular Republican state organization. In Lancaster the friends of Secretary of the Commonwealth Greist carried the primaries by over 1,500 majority and nominated their candidate for mayor of that city, despite the fight put up against them by what is known as the anti-Quay combine. The victory of the friends of Quay and Penrose at the Republican primaries in Philadelphia and their capture of the Republican city committee and the withdrawal of all opposition to their ticket for officers of that committee, has been followed up by the announcement of the appointment of Representative Charles E. Voorhees as chief clerk of the Republican committee of the Quaker City.

**VOORHEES' NEW PLACE.**

Voorhees is one of the secretaries of the Republican state committee, and was one of General Frank Reeder's most valuable assistants in the last state campaign. His selection was a particular disappointment to David Martin, whom he has fought politically since Martin jumped from the ranks of the regulars and joined the insurgents. Voorhees is one of the best known political workers in the state, and his new position will be of material advantage to the friends of the regular organization in combating the insurgents when the matter of the nomination and election of the members of the new legislature comes up. The bulk of the bolters from the Republican senatorial caucus at the recent session were from Philadelphia and Allegheny. There were three senators and 15 Republicans in the house from the Quaker City who booted the caucus nominee for United States senator at the last session. It is now certain that there will not be more than two senators and five members with the insurgents from Philadelphia in the next legislature, a loss of 11 votes. In fact many believe it quite possible that by the time the nominations are to be made there may be absolute harmony in that city and that there will be a united delegation for the caucus nominee.

**PENROSE IS CONFIDENT.**

Senator Penrose has written a friend in this city that the situation at Washington is daily growing brighter in the case of the admission of Colonel Quay into the United States senate upon the governor's appointment. From the outset he has declared that Senator Quay's supporters have had enough assurances from senators to guarantee his being seated, however. The friends of the Beaver statesman have been particularly pleased during the last week by the public announcement from Senator Culom, of Illinois, that after carefully reviewing the law and the constitutional provisions bearing upon Colonel Quay's case, he proposes to recognize the commission issued by Governor Stone and vote to seat Senator Quay.

The Pennsylvania political opponents of Colonel Quay have been contending upon Senator Culom to vote to refuse to recognize the validity of the governor's commission. They have been working upon the various members of the senate and endeavoring to employ all sorts of pressure to have them vote against Colonel Quay. They have had Chairman Jones, of the Democratic national committee, canvassing among the Democrats and seeking to make the Quay case a party issue and have the Democratic senators all line up against Quay. The Guffey Democratic influence in Pennsylvania has been hard at work, too, against the Beaver statesman.

But they have failed to accomplish what they are after. Several Democratic senators have proclaimed their intention to take up this case purely upon its merits and, sitting as judicial officers, they intend to decide the issue without political bias, leaning or prejudice. Senator Kenny, of Delaware, is among those who have stated that the question of politics will not influence many of the senators in determining this question.

**A PROFESSOR'S VIEWS.**

An interesting statement showing the feeling among men of affairs, students of politics, who have no direct connection with party organizations, is given in an interview with President W. E. Abernethy, of Ruthford college, North Carolina, who is on a visit north. Professor Abernethy is a Democrat, but not a politician. He said: "You people seem to be much concerned about the action of the senate in the Quay case. As a matter of common fairness to the states, and regardless of any former decisions of the senate in parallel cases, I cannot believe that the makers of our government ever contemplated the denial of representation to a state, even for one day. If the decision in the Corbett case be the constitutional view, then the matter should be cured immediately by an amendment of the constitution."

**Sheriff's Sale.**

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Sullivan County and to me directed and delivered there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Laporte, Pa., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1900, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, viz:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the township of Forks, county of Sullivan and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a hemlock corner, the North-east corner of the tract, thence south about 23 degrees east 320 perches to a stone corner; thence south about 67 degrees west 121 perches to a post for a corner; thence north about 23 degrees west 320 perches to a corner and thence north about 67 degrees east 121 perches to the place of beginning, containing about 239 acres and 17 perches of land more or less. About 40 acres improved the balance timbered. 1 Two-story framed house, a framed barn, wagon shed and other outbuildings. Well watered and with a good orchard thereon.

Excepting and reserving from the above described tract of land the following lots bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stone corner, being the south-east corner of the Peter Crooks warrant and land now owned by A. C. Wilcox, thence by lands of David Molyneux south 35 degrees west 185 rods to a post and stone corner; thence by land of grantor's north 50 degrees west 88 5-10 rods to a post and stone corner on the lower edge of Lick Creek road; thence along said road by several bearings and distances viz: north 63 degrees east 13 rods, north 74 degrees east 11 8-10 rods, north 69 degrees east 15 2-10 rods, north 73 degrees east 13 rods, north 66 degrees east 17 5-10 rods, north 55 1/2 degrees east 24 6-10 rods, north 45 1/2 degrees east 37 rods, north 39 degrees east 17 rods, north 49 degrees east 25 5-10 rods, thence north 45 degrees east 8 rods to the tract line and land of said Wilcox; thence south 56 degrees east 21 4-10 rods to the place of beginning, containing fifty acres and one hundred and thirty-four perches neat measure be the same more or less.

Also another lot or parcel of land in the same township, county and state.

Beginning at a stone the common corner of the James Cross, Peter Cross, John Cross and James Cross warrant, thence by lands of Thomas Molyneux's heirs south 56 degrees east 95 rods to the public road leading from Millview to Eldersville; thence along said road by lands of grantor's north 4 1/2 degrees west 34 rods to angle; thence north 27 degrees west 10 4-10 rods to angle; thence north 42 1/2 degrees west 14 rods; thence north 13 1/2 degrees west 12 rods; thence north 13 1/2 degrees west 29 1/2 rods; thence north 35 1/2 degrees west 8 rods to angle; thence north 43 degrees west 14 rods to the corner of W. G. Bedford land on the township line; thence along said line by Bedford's land, south 33 1/2 degrees west 66 2-10 rods to the place of beginning, containing twenty-four acres and fifty-four perches, be the same more or less.

Both lots being a part of the James Crooks' warrant.

Lot No. 2.

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the Borough of Forksville, County of Sullivan and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a post on Main street, at the corner of lot belonging to M. A. Rogers, thence along Main street south sixty-eight degrees, west seventy-three feet to Laporte alley; thence north sixty degrees, west two hundred and twelve feet to a post, in line of said M. A. Rogers land; thence along Rogers line north sixty degrees, east ninety-two feet to a post; thence along same south twenty-four and three-fourth degrees, east two hundred twenty-three and one half feet to the place of beginning, containing sixty-four and one fourth perches of land be the same more or less.

Said land being improved and having a large two story frame house and a large frame barn erected thereon and other out buildings, and being under a good state of cultivation.

Seized, taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Francis V. Hannon at the suit of Mary Whitley Snell.

H. W. OSLER, Sheriff,  
Sheriff's office, Laporte, Pa., Jan. 23, 1900.

**Orphans' Court Sale.**

By order of the Orphans' Court of Sullivan County, I will expose to public sale on the premises at Glen Sharon in the township of Davidson, on

WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of JAN., A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. the following real estate to wit:

A lot in the village of GLEN SHARON, in Davidson township, Sullivan county, Penna. Beginning at a corner on south side of Sharon street at a corner, two hundred and fifty-eight feet from Park avenue and running parallel with said avenue two hundred feet to Mill St. thence along Mill street thirty feet east; thence north and parallel with first line two hundred feet to Sharon street; thence along Sharon street thirty feet to the place of beginning, containing an area of six thousand square feet, on which there is erected a framed cottage, late the property of Mary McClain, deed.

Terms of Sale—One-fourth of the purchase money on striking down of the property and the balance on confirmation of the sale.

Also at same time and place will be sold the personal property of the decedent as follows:

Bed room suit and bedding, bureau, wash bowls and pitchers, bedstead; stand and looking glass, carpet, trunks, dishes, knives, forks, single bed and bedding, stove, boiler, tables, chairs, table spreads, napkins, towels, millinery goods, books, sitting room furniture, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY:—In all amounts under five dollars, cash; larger amounts, six months time on secured notes with interest.

Mrs. A. T. ARMSTRONG, Admrx.  
of Mary McClain, deed.

**We Have Moved**  
**Our Large**  
**Furniture Stock**

**TO THE CARROLL BLOCK,**  
**Next Door to J. W. Carroll's**  
**Clothing Store. . . . .**

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**HOLCOMBE & LAUER,**  
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**A. T. ARMSTRONG,**  
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**Flour Feed and Groceries**

13 1/2 pounds of pure Lard for \$1.00  
Baking molasses, 25 to 50c.  
8 pounds Rolled Oats for 25c.  
7 pounds of Corn Starch for 25c.  
7 pounds of Laundry Starch for 25c.  
2 pounds of Rio Coffee for 25c.  
8 bars of Lenox Soap for 25c.  
No. 1 mackerel per pound 8c.  
Best Sugar Coated Ham (at 11c per lb).  
Buckwheat Flour 25 pound sack 45c.  
Buckwheat Flour 100 pounds, \$1.80.  
Yellow Corn per 100 pounds 90c.  
Corn Meal or Cracked Corn 90c.  
Corn, Oats and Barley Chop 90c.  
Wheat Bran 200 pounds \$1.50.  
Flour middlings, 140 pound sack \$1.40.  
Fine middlings 200 pounds \$1.60.  
Flour per sack \$1.00.  
Winter Roller per sack \$1.00.  
Good Flour 90c.  
Rye Flour 25 pounds, 50c.  
Graham Flour 12 1/2 pounds 30c.  
Common Fine Salt per barrel \$1.20.

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All answered at  
**VERNON**  
**HULL'S**  
**STORE,**  
**HILLSGROVE.**

New Stock of  
**DRY**  
**Goods.**

**Vernon Hull,**  
**Hills Grove, Pa.**

**G. A. Rogers**  
FORKSVILLE, PA.

**Watches, Jewellery,**  
**Silverware, Etc.**

Gum boots and lumbermans' fuel at J. W. Bucks.

**Williamsport & North Branch R.R.**  
**TIME TABLE.**  
In Effect Tuesday Sept. 12, 1900.

Northward.		Southward.	
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
4:15	12:55	10:20	4:00
4:27	1:10	10:32	4:15
4:35	1:18	10:38	4:25
4:39	1:21	10:41	4:34
4:41	1:24	10:43	4:38
4:48	1:32	10:48	4:45
4:56	1:41	10:54	4:53
5:01	1:45	10:58	5:01
5:05	1:49	11:00	5:06
5:11	1:55	11:05	5:13
5:26	2:05	11:20	5:28
5:43	2:22	11:37	5:45
5:45	2:24	11:39	5:47
6:02	2:41	11:56	6:04
6:15	2:54	12:15	6:17
		12:30	6:30

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**Thursday Bargain**  
**Day!**  
**AT HOFFMAN'S**  
**Muncy Valley.**

The last Thursday Bargain Day was everything that could be expected. The day was perfect and a goodly number of strange faces were seen in our Store taking advantage of the low prices, on the following bargains that will be offered each Thursday:

POTTERS OIL CLOTH, 12c  
SUGAR, 5c.  
COFFEE, 10c.  
FLOUR, 85c.  
COTTON, 8c.  
WASHING GAS, 5c.  
BAKING POWDER, 15c.  
with tumblers or water  
pitchers.  
10 CAKES SOAP, 25c.

These are only a few of the many bargains offered each Thursday. Everybody welcomed; our store is cool in warm weather, and warm in cold weather; you will always be made comfortable at

**Hoffman's Store.**

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We keep in stock at our mills a complete line of dressed lumber in hemlock and hardwood.

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Hemlock Novelty or German Siding,  
Hemlock Ceiling 7-8 or 3-8 stick,  
Hemlock Flooring any width desired,  
Hardwood Flooring both Beech, Birch or Maple,  
The same woods in 3-8 ceiling.  
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is the woman who must entertain unexpected company—unless she is well supplied with canned and bottled groceries. If her pantry shelves are nicely lined with our



ready for any emergency. What shall we send you to-day?

**ON DRY GOODS WE ARE IN THE LEAD**

**WHY?** Because we carry the Largest and Best line in the county. Because we have only new and attractive patterns to show. Because you will find no old goods on our shelves.

We have just opened a new line of Gingham Shirts, muslins etc., or the spring trade, which we would be pleased to have you inspect.

**Perfectly Shaped Footwear**

for women and men. We have a stock of women's shoes that is unequalled hereabouts. The shapes are dainty, the leather fine, the workmanship exquisite, and the fit perfect. Prices are right.

**E. G. Sylvara DUSHORE, PA.**

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to my new store in the **GAREY BLOK** where I will be pleased to meet all of my old patrons and many new ones. We fit the young and old of all nationalities and color with

**Boots, Shoes, Rubbers,**  
**Fine Assortment at Popular Prices.**

Remember the Place,  
**GAREY'S BLOK, DUSHORE, DUSHORE.**  
**J. S. HARRINGTON.**