

REPUBLICAN NEWS ITEM.

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET. For Governor EDWIN S. STUART, of Philadelphia.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET. State Senator, HARRY S. MEYER, of Williamsport.

CUBAN RECIPROCITY

United States Has Largely Increased Purchases, but Sales to the Island Show Little Advance—Other Nations Are the Chief Gainers.

After making repeated efforts to secure from the government officials of Cuba detailed reports regarding the imports and exports of the island during the past year the department of commerce and labor has obtained certain statistics covering the international trade of Cuba for half of the year 1904.

How to Make the Drunkard an Asset and Producer Instead of a Tax and Burden to the State

An instructive booklet compiled by Carl H. Fowler, vice president and managing director of the Oppenheimer Institute, an institution that has acquired a wide and enviable celebrity by the introduction of the Oppenheimer treatment for the cure of alcoholism and drug addiction.

Duty of Young Republicans.

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In addition to the recognition of superior excellence in literary work the subordinate grange in each district of the thirty-three deputies that ranks the highest in degree work will be awarded baskets and vases for grains, fruit and flowers at Cere's, Pomona's and Flora's stations.

There is also to be a contest between the Pomona or county granges. The basis of the competition will be on attendance and the ritualistic work of the officers and on punctuality in opening all meetings between Jan. 31 and Oct. 1, 1905, except in July and August.

A GRANGER'S DISCOVERY.

Water Grows Alfalfa, and Alfalfa Grows Stock. In his address to the Pennsylvania state grange State Master W. F. Hill related a little incident which occurred on his return journey from the national grange meeting last November.

"What supports this town?" asked Mr. Hill.

"Water," was the reply. "How is that?" said Mr. Hill. "I did not know there were any Prohibitionists out here."

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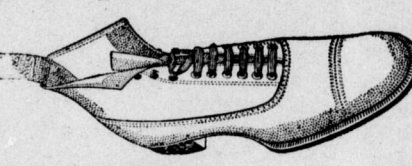
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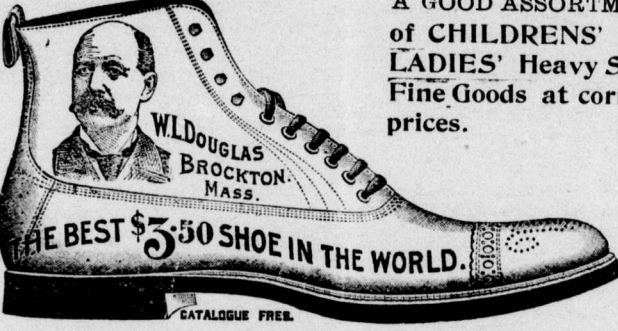
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