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PRINCE TUAN'S AMBITION.

French Consul Says It Fomented the Troubles in China.

Marseilles, Aug. 28.—M. Francois, French consul at Yun Nan Sen, arrived here yesterday afternoon aboard the steamer Tonkin. When questioned with regard to the causes of the troubles in China he replied that the first cause was the hatred the natives felt for the foreigners. After that, in his judgment, came the overwhelming ambition of Prince Tuan, the inspirer of the imperial policy.

"Tuan, it was," said M. Francois, "who prepared everything. He was able by his Machiavellian skill and by the assistance of his creatures to get an imperial order delivered the same day in all the provinces of China directing the massacre of foreigners if they refused to leave the country."

Referring to the danger run by a colony so small as that at Yun Nan, he said:

"It was so great that I am certain a formal order to massacre us had already arrived from Pekin. Fearing our means of defense, the mandarins dared not act, but they tried to hinder our departure by pillaging our baggage. Finally the fan tai, or secretary general, proposed to accord to us an authorization to leave on condition that we placed hostages in the hands of the Chinese authorities. This I refused with indignation, declaring that I intended to leave June 24, and that I was ready to cut my way through all obstacles. It was just then that the dispatches from M. Delcasse arrived."

Fitz Retires From the Ring.

New York, Aug. 28.—Fitzsimmons and William A. Brady, manager for Jeffries, met yesterday afternoon to arrange a match between the two men. Fitzsimmons said he was in good condition, and wished to fight next Friday night, and Brady replied that Jeffries was not in trim for a fight and could not prepare himself in the few days intervening. The men separated without coming to any agreement except that there would be no contest on Aug. 31. Fitzsimmons last night announced his retirement from the pugilistic ring. He will open a training school in Chicago.

SUICIDE OF A NUN.

Said She Had Disgraced Her Family by Falling in Love.

New York, Aug. 27.—The French line steamer L'Aquitaine, which arrived yesterday from Havre, had a death among the cabin passengers. Margaret Minehan, a former nun, committed suicide by jumping overboard at 5 a. m. on Aug. 23. The alarm was quickly given, a boat was lowered and the woman was picked up, but too late to restore her to consciousness. A Roman Catholic priest among the passengers performed a burial service over the remains, assisted by a number of other priests and nuns who were on board the steamer, and the body was committed to the sea. Miss Minehan had confided to some of her fellow passengers that she had been a nun, but her love for a young man caused her to leave the convent, and she felt she had disgraced her family. She said she was on the way to her brother, a priest located in Pennsylvania.

Our Warship to Support a Claim.

Tangiar, Morocco, Aug. 27.—A United States warship has arrived here to support the claim arising out of the murder last June of Marcos Essagin, a naturalized American citizen, who was the manager of the Fez branch of the French firm of Braunsweig & Co. Essagin, while riding on horseback through a narrow street in Tangier, jolted against the mule of a Moroccan religious fanatic, and a dispute ensued, the crowd siding with the priest. In self defense Essagin drew his revolver and fired, wounding a native. This was the signal for a general attack upon the American, who received dozens of knife wounds and whose body was burned, according to some accounts, before life was extinct.

Major General Butler Bereft.

Norfolk, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Butler, wife of Maj. Gen. M. C. Butler, U. S. A., died at Old Point Comfort yesterday afternoon of acute neuralgia. She came to Old Point three or four days ago. Mrs. Butler was 68 years old and the daughter of Governor Pickens, war governor of South Carolina. The body will be taken to Edgefield, S. C., for interment.

Evils of Antipyrine.

The use of antipyrine for the relie and cure of headaches has a depressing influence on the heart, and causes a derangement of the kidneys. Krause's Headache Capsules contain no antipyrine, chloral, morphine or any injurious ingredient. They cure quickly and leave the head clear and cool. Price 25c. Sold by Rossman & Son's Pharmacy.

Chicago Beef For Russia's Army.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Armour & Co. have received an order from the Russian government for 6,000,000 pounds of "beef on the hoof" to feed the soldiers of the czar in China. This is the largest order of the kind in the history of the Chicago meat trade. Options are said to have been taken upon every available ship in the carrying trade on the Pacific. It will take 5,000 fatted cattle to fill the order. The cattle will be sent from San Francisco via Hawaii and Japan.

Drowned While Aiding His Friend.

Uniontown, Pa., Aug. 27.—Samuel Trimble, of Pittsburg, yesterday attempted to swim across the Monongahela river several miles above Point Marion, and when some distance from the other side gave out and called for help. Young Alta M. Ritenour, his friend, went to his rescue, and when he reached the drowning man the latter clutched him about the body in a desperate manner in such a way that Ritenouer's arms were held against his body and both went down.

Chief Justice J. B. McCollum.

Harrisburg, Aug. 28.—Governor Stone yesterday commissioned Judge J. Brewster McCollum, of Montrose, chief justice of the supreme court, to fill the vacancy created by the death of Judge Henry Green. Judge McCollum was next to the late chief justice in seniority on the bench. The governor will not fill the vacancy created by these changes until after his return from Chicago, on Sept. 5.

Stop Colds

when you feel one coming on by taking Krause's Cold Cure. Prepared in convenient capsules that cure while you work. Price 25c. Sold by Rossman & Son's Pharmacy.

United States Volunteer Association.

Chattanooga, Aug. 28.—The United States Volunteer association, the membership of which is expected to exceed 200,000, was formed here yesterday, with Col. Richard Henry Savage, of New York, who commanded the battalion of engineers in the Cuban campaign, as president. The objects of this association are identical with those of Spanish war orders, except that all individuals who served in the regular or volunteer army, navy or marine corps during the war can become members without first joining local camps, as is customary in other Spanish societies.

Lord Roberts Commander-in-Chief.

London, Aug. 29.—The Daily Mail this morning claims to have the highest authority for the assertion that Lord Roberts has already succeeded Lord Wolseley as commander-in-chief of the British army.

A Johnstown Hero Killed.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—George H. Ling, who saved the lives of scores of persons at the time of the Johnstown flood, fell from a Pennsylvania train at South Chicago yesterday and was instantly killed.

SOME persons say it is natural for them to lose flesh during summer. But losing flesh is losing ground. Can you afford to approach another winter in this weakened condition?

Coughs and colds, weak throats and lungs, come quickest to those who are thin in flesh, to those easily chilled, to those who have poor circulation and feeble digestion.

Scott's Emulsion

of *cod liver oil with hypophosphites* does just as much good in summer as in winter. It makes flesh in August as well as April. You certainly need as strong nerves in July as in January. And your weak throat and lungs should be healed and strengthened without delay.

All Druggists, 50c. and $1.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York

CAPTAIN CRENSHAW'S CHARGES.

Before Dying He Declared He Was Brutally Treated on Shipboard.

Atlanta, Aug. 29.—Capt. Frank Crenshaw, Twenty-ninth volunteer infantry, died here yesterday. Capt. Crenshaw saw service in Cuba and the Philippines, and a wound received in the battle of Putola caused his death. Capt. Crenshaw, who arrived in Atlanta a week ago, made a statement to his father, in which he charged outrageous treatment and neglect on board the transport Sherman from Manila for San Francisco. The statement was to the effect that after the vessel left Manila, and was on the high seas, officers in the state rooms next to Capt. Crenshaw's complained that he kept them awake by the sufferings from his wound. He was taken from the state room and, paralyzed in the left side and unable to lift his head and almost unconscious, was placed in a berth down in the hold of the ship, near the engines, in the midst of the insane men who were confined there.

Capt. Crenshaw said he was unable to hold himself in the berth and fell out three times while the ship was riding out storms in the China seas. He finally bribed a hospital steward with $25 to give him some attention. At San Francisco Capt. Crenshaw alleges that treatment was refused him, the surgeon in charge informing him that it was impossible, because of limited assistance in the hospital. The wounded officer, accompanied by his uncle, then started for Atlanta, and an operation was performed here.

The census of Boston is 560,892, against 448,477 in 1890.

An anarchist was arrested at Carrara, Italy, charged with conspiring to kill Victor Emanuel III.

The business portion of Cartwright, Wis., a town of 2,000 inhabitants, was entirely destroyed by fire yesterday.

The autumn maneuvers of the German army will be attended this year for the first time by a representative of the French army.

The United States army transport Lawton arrived at Seattle, Wash., from Nome with 220 passengers, two-thirds of whom are destitute miners returned at the expense of the government.

IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW.

What a Heap of Happiness it Would Bring to Danville Homes.

Hard to do housework with an aching back.
Hours of misery at leisure or at work.
If women only knew the cause;
Backache pains come from sick kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills will cure it
Danville people endorse this:

Mrs. Edward H. Lunger, of 11 Church street says:—"I suffered so much from pain and lameness in my back that I could not sleep nights. The pain over my hips was continuous and when on my feet it was one steady gnawing ache. It hurt me to do anything requiring bending over, and the sharp twinges would catch me so suddenly that I had to brace my bach against something until they stopped. The kidney secretions annoyed me and headaches accompanied the backache. I read about Doan's Kidney Pills and in the statements of those who had been cured, the symptoms were so much like mine that my husband procured a box for me. They did me more good than any medicine I ever tried. I no longer had any backache and was free from any embarrassment caused from the secretions. I can honestly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others suffering as I did."

For sale by all dealers; price 50 cents Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Engineer's Heroism Saves Lives.

Leadville, Colo., Aug. 29.—The Weldon mine, located just east of the city limits, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The fire started in the engine room, but the engineer remained at his post until nearly all the men were hoisted from below. He was probably fatally burned. The rest made their way out through other mines in the vicinity. A large quantity of giant powder was removed safely from the building by the miners. The Weldon mine is one of the richest producers of silver in the camp, and has been in almost constant operation since 1895.

Pennsylvania Prohibition Campaign

Pittsburg, Aug. 29.—The Prohibitionists of Pennsylvania are preparing to inaugurate an aggressive campaign. A series of state meetings, lasting a week, will be begun in Pittsburg Oct. 15. The speakers will be John C. Woolley, candidate for president; H. B. Metcalf, candidate for vice president; ex-National Chairman Dickey, Rev. Dr. Silas C. Swallow and the state condidates. The party will start eastward the next day, making several stops daily and holding a big meeting in some city at night, concluding in Philadelphia Oct. 20.

Fisherman's Fatal Treat.

Pittston, Pa., Aug. 28.—Anthony Michonis, aged 42, single, was drowned in the Susquehanna river here last night. He was fishing in a boat when he met another boat in which were two friends of his. Michonis wanted to treat his friends, and while in the act of handing them the bottle his boat upset, and he went to the bottom. His body was recovered.

Nerves Like a Flat-Iron.

A woman who suffered for three years from nervous prostration says, two bottles of Lichty's Celery Nerve Compound effected a complete cure. She hardly knows today whether she has nerves or not, as she never feels them. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Sold by Rossman & Son's Pharmacy.

Open For American Competition.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Minister King, at Bangkok, informed the state department that he succeeded in securing an open tender for American manufacturers in the construction of the Betchaburee railroad by the Siamese government. Bids for the construction of a plant for the manufacture of ammunition in that country were opened to American competition in March, and a bid was asked from the United States on 20,000 rifles and 10,000,000 cartridges.

Ante-Bellum Negro Association.

Macon, Ga., Aug. 25.—An ante-bellum negro association to comprise all the southern states will be organized in Macon Sept. 25. The object is to discountenance the crimes of young negroes which lead to lynchings and to establish better race relations. Booker T. Washington will attend the convention.

Death Sentence on Cordua.

London, Aug. 25.—Gen. Lord Roberts has confirmed the sentence of death imposed upon Lieut. Cordua, formerly of the Staats artillery, who was convicted of being a ringleader in the plot to abduct Gen. Roberts and kill British officers. Lieut. Cordua was shot yesterday afternoon.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 27.—Mike Rusnork, a single man, who recently came here from Poland, died at the Lackawanna hospital yesterday from scalds alleged to have been inflicted by his sister-in-law, Mrs. John Rusnork, of Marshwood. Aug. 17 she dunned him for his board, and he made some offensive remark, whereupon she seized a caldron of boiling water and doused it over him.

Women Should Know It.

Many women suffer untold agony and misery because the nature of their disease is not correctly understood. They have been led to believe that womb trouble or female weakness of some sort is responsable for the many ills that beset womankind.

Neuralgia, nervousness, headache, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, rheumatism, a dragging pain or dull ache in the back, weakness or bearing-down sensation, profuse or scanty supply of urine with strong odor, frequent desire to pass it with scalding or burning sensation, sediment in it after standing in bottle or common glass for twenty-four hours, are signs of kidney and bladder trouble.

The above symptoms are often attributed by the patient herself or by her physician to female weakness or womb trouble. Hence, so many fail to obtain relief, because they are treating, not the disease itself, but a reflection of the primary cause, which is kidney trouble.

In fact, women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble and both need the same remedy.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is the great discovery of the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is easy to get at any drug store for fifty cents or one dollar.

To prove its wonderful merits you may have a sample bottle and book telling all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Kindly mention the MONTOUR AMERICAN and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Another Victim of Gillman's Riot.

Watseka, Ills., Aug. 29.—Mrs. Dr. Charlotte Wright, of Gillman, Ills., whose attempted arrest for malpractice resulted in a fatal riot, died at the Iroquois county jail here yesterday from loss of blood and exposure during the ride to Watseka. This makes four persons dead as a result of the riots, John Myers, Michael Ryan, Bessie Salter and Mrs. Dr. Wright. George Willoughby, one of the injured at Gillman, is expected to die.

Experts Sue For Their Pay.

New York, Aug. 29.—The handwriting experts who testified in the Molineux case have entered suit against the city to collect their fees for services in this case. According to their agreement made with Assistant District Attorney Osborne they were to receive $50 per day each, their railroad fare and hotel bills. The claims aggregate $9,207.82.

Four Books Free.

"Osteopathy Explained."
"How to be successful."
"What a Woman can do in Osteopathy.
"How to become well."

These four valuable books will be mailed free to anyone who will send his name and address to Drs. Matthews & Hook, proprietors of the Atlantic School of Osteopathy, 17 Ross St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa., write to-day.

Choynski's Illness Prevented a Fight

New York, Aug. 29.—The heavyweight fight between Peter Maher and Joe Choynski, which was to have taken place at the Broadway Athletic club last night, had to be declared off on account of Choynski's sickness. About 7 o'clock he had an attack of stomach trouble and a physician who was hurriedly summoned said that he was totally unfit to take part in any ring contest. Manager Michael Padden, of the Broadway Athletic club, immediately declared the bout off and refunded the money to the few spectators who had already paid for admission.

Fell Four Hundred Feet to Death.

Shamokin, Pa., Aug. 28.—While a wagon was being lowered in the Mount Carmel colliery Sunday night a side hook broke, causing the wagon to dash 400 feet to the bottom. John Daubert and George Ituske, who were riding on the wagon, were instantly killed.

Catarrah Cannot be Cured.

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Stevenson the Populist Nominee.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—At a meeting of the People's party national committee yesterday the declination of Charles A. Towne as the vice presidential nominee of the party was accepted, and the name of Adlai E. Stevenson was put in his place. This result was obtained after a long debate. Senator Marion Butler, chairman of the committee, advocated leaving the place blank. A motion was made to endorse Mr. Stevenson, and Mr. Washburn, of Massachusetts, moved as a substitute that a Populist be placed upon the ticket. The substitute was lost and the original motion was then adopted by a viva voce vote.

THE WONDERS OF SCIENCE

Lung Troubles and Consumption Can be Cured.

An Eminent New York Chemist and Scientist Makes a Free Offer to Our Readers.

The distinguished chemist, T. A. Slocum, of New York City, demonstrating his discovery of a reliable cure for Consumption (Pulmonary Tuberculosis), bronchial, lung and chest troubles, stubborn coughs, catarrhal affections, general decline and weakness, loss of flesh, and all conditions of wasting away, will send THREE FREE BOTTLES (all different) of his New Discoveries to any afflicted reader of this paper writing for them.

His "New Scientific Treatment" has cured thousands permanently by its timely use, and he considers it a simple professional duty to suffering humanity to donate a trial of his infallible cure.

Science daily develops new wonders, and this great chemist, patiently experimenting for years, has produced results as beneficial to humanity as can be claimed by any modern genius. His assertion that lung troubles and consumption are curable in any climate is proven by "heartfelt letters of gratitude," filed in his American and European laboratories in thousands from those cured in all parts of the world.

The dread Consumption, uninterrupted, means speedy and certain death.

Simply write to T. A. Slocum, M. C., 98 Pine street, New York, giving post-office and express address, and the free medicine will be promptly sent direct from his laboratory.

Sufferers should take instant advantage of his generous proposition.

Please tell the Doctor that you saw his in the MONTOUR AMERICAN.

ITS A FACT ABOUT MY WIFE

Mr. S., a Danville gentleman says:—My wife, doing a great deal of sewing used her eyes constatnly. For years she had been a great sufferer from headache and neuralgia. Drugs had been used without results. I purchased for her a pair of glasses from some traveling optician. No better result. A friend advised me to try Mr. Rempe. He examined her eyes, gave her glasses, the result was magical, she can sew all day and not suffer from headache at all. Maybe glasses will help you. I'll examine your eyes and tell you. No charge for examination.

HENRY REMPE.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Serving Fruits at Table—A Pocket at the Head of the Bed—Ice In Dainty Baskets.

Strawberries may be served with or without the hulls. If they are hulled, they must be handled lightly and the hulls taken off just before serving time. When served with the hulls on, strawberries should be neatly arranged around the edge of individual plates, with a little powdered sugar in the center of each plate. When eating, take them by the stems, dip into the sugar and eat them from the hulls.

Raspberries and blackberries do not, as a rule, require washing. They must be handled carefully in looking them over; being soft, they are easily bruised. Arrange the raspberries on a flat glass dish, sort of tossing them up into a pyramid. One may sprinkle over a small amount of currant juice and serve them with powdered sugar.

Plums, if served raw, may be put in a flat dish or basket garnished with greens and passed just as one would serve peaches. They should be peeled before eating. Pears and apples may be served in the same way.

Peaches are more attractive when served in their own skins. Serve just at the right temperature, not warm, but still not overchilled. This makes all fruits sour.

Grapes are daintier served in a flat, open basket decorated with their own foliage.

Watermelons and cantaloupes are always best served simply chilled, not cold enough to be unpalatable and tasteless, but with no tinge of warmth. —Ladies' Home Journal.

A Bed Pocket.

A pocket to hang at the head of a bed is always useful, and it may be made quite an ornament also. The one we illustrate is very pretty, being made in the palest blue silk and velvet of a little darker shade of the same color.

The foundation for the back is a stout kind of cardboard cut to the shape of the illustration. For a useful pocket to hold handkerchief, purse,

notebook or keys it should be about 12 inches in the deepest part and 7½ inches across the widest part. Cover this with blue silk on which is embroidered or painted a wreath of flowers and a monogram with silk of delicate shades of pink and green. Line the back with sateen.

The part which forms the pocket is of velvet lined with silk. It is cut to fit the point of the back part, but is widened out at the top so that it stands away from the back a little. Sew the edges to the back; then trim all round with a frill of the blue silk pinked at the edges. The bows of ribbon are of a medium shade of blue. Of course any colors may be used to suit the bed hangings or the wall paper of the room in which it is used.

Housemaids' Bags.

Scrapbaskets, as has been suggested, are a necessity in every room; but if the chambermaid carries them off to empty and forgets to return them they may be the cause of great annoyance. To obviate this have the maid carry to each room a large bag made of silesia, the hem at the top being run on to a metal or wooden hoop. Into this bag each basket is emptied every morning, and, as it never leaves the room, it is, of course, not lacking at the critical moment; nor is it found full to overflowing just when a bundle of papers needs a home. The bag is emptied also after it has made its rounds and is hung up with the brooms and brushes.

Ice In Dainty Baskets.

At a recent class luncheon the ice was served in dainty colonial baskets molded of white confectioners' wax and tied with a small bow of red ribbon, the class year lettered in gilt on the ends. The basket was piled lightly with spun sugar, and on this was heaped the ice in the form of strawberries. Each guest left her card against the basket, and when she took her leave it was handed to her tied with tissue paper. The spun sugar had been removed, and in its place was slipped a little fluted case filled with candied violets. In this way the ice service was converted into a set of pretty souvenir favors.

Weeds as Salads.

Chicory is a favorite salad in English homes and much employed by those who have become accustomed to its use from travel either in France or England. The same vegetable—or shall one call it still a weed?—is palatable cooked precisely like spinach. But let no housewife be beguiled into the trial as a vegetable or a salad of that bane of Charles Dudley Warner's "Summer In a Garden" that he denounces as "pu'sley." It is sometimes said to be a delicious article of food. But it is not. It is slimy, stringy and uninviting in appearance and unpalatable.

Murphy For Governor of New York.

New York, Aug. 29.—A story is circulating in Democratic circles that ex-Senator Murphy is Richard Croker's candidate for the governorship nomination. The story arises from a remark made by the Tammany leader after he had been asked whom he had in mind for governor. Mr. Croker said: "I have no one, but what do you think of Senator Murphy for governor? He has been United States senator, and is an able man." The story afterwards got out that Mr. Croker's candidate is Senator Murphy.

Four Years For Robbing Goulds.

New York, Aug. 29.—Charles M. Blair, alias Thomas Ashton, who stole Mrs. Edward Gould's jewelry from her private safe in her apartments last May, and who pleaded guilty to an indictment for grand larceny in the first degree on a charge of stealing $1,000 worth of jewelry, was yesterday sentenced to four years and two months' imprisonment by Judge McMahon.

Negroes' Suits Against New York City

New York, Aug. 29.—Seven claims for damages against the city have been filed with Comptroller Coler by colored men, who assert they were clubbed without cause by the police in the recent race riots. Six claims are for $15,000 each and the seventh for $25,000. The filing of them is the preliminary step to bringing action against the city in the supreme court.

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof.

Amendment One to Article Eight, Section One.

Add at the end of the first paragraph of said section, after the words "shall be entitled to vote at all elections," the words "subject however to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact," so that the said section shall read as follows:

Section 1. Qualifications of Electors. Every male citizen twenty-one years of age, possessing the following qualifications, shall be entitled to vote at all elections, subject however to such laws requiring and regulating the registration of electors as the General Assembly may enact:

He shall have been a citizen of the United States at least one month.

He shall have resided in the State one year (or if, having previously been a qualified elector or native born citizen of the State, he shall have removed therefrom and returned within six months, immediately preceding the election.)

He shall have resided in the election district where he shall offer to vote at least two months immediately preceding the election.

If twenty-two years of age and upwards, he shall have paid within two years a State or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least two months and paid at least one month before the election.

Amendment Eleven to Article Eight, Section Seven.

Strike out from said section the words "but no elector shall be deprived of the privilege of voting by reason of his name not being registered," and add to said section the following words, "but laws regulating and requiring the registration of electors may be enacted to apply to cities only, provided that such laws be uniform for cities of the same class," so that the said section shall read as follows:

Section 7. Uniformity of Election Laws.—All laws regulating the holding of elections by the citizens or for the registration of electors shall be uniform throughout the State, but laws regulating and requiring the registration of electors may be enacted to apply to cities only, prolded that such laws be uniform for cities of the same class.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.
W. W. GRIEST,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in accordance with the provisions of the Eighteenth article thereof.

Amendment.

Strike out section four of article eight, and insert in place thereof, as follows:

Section 4. All elections by the citizens shall be by ballot or by such other method as may be prescribed by law: Provided, That secrecy in voting be preserved.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.
W. W. GRIEST,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

PUBLIC SALE

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

The undersigned, by virtue of the power vested in him by the heirs at law of BENJAMIN DIEFFENBACHER, late of Anthony Township, county of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, deceased, will expose at public sale, on the premises hereindescribed,

Thursday September, 6th, 1900

the following described real estate.

All that certain tract of land situate partly in Anthony Township and partly in Derry Township, county of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone in the public road leading from Exchange to Strawberry Ridge, thence North five and one quarter degrees East twenty-four and two tenths perches to a stone in said public road, thence North fifty degrees East twenty-eight and sixty-five hundredths perches to a stone, in the line of lands of Charles Mourer, thence South forty-two degrees and twenty one minutes East one hundred and eighty-six and four tenths perches to a stone, thence South forty-seven degrees and forty minutes West forty perches to a stone, thence North fifty-three and one half degrees West fifty-six and eight tenths perches to a stone, thence North forty-two and one eighth degrees East seven and five tenths perches to a willow, thence North fifty-five and one half degrees West twenty-four perches to a stone, thence North forty-two degrees East twenty-eight and four tenths perches to a stone, thence North fifty-seven degrees and forty minutes West eighty-eight and seven tenths perches to a stone the place of beginning, containing forty-five acres and sixty-two perches.

TERMS OF SALE: Twenty-five per centum of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property; twenty-five per centum within six months from day of sale and the remaining fifty per centum at the expiration of one year from day of sale the same to be secured by either judgment or bond and mortgage. All conveyancing to be at the expense of the purchaser.

B. E. BITLER,
Attorney-in-fact for heirs of Benj. Dieffenbacher.
R. S. AMMERMAN, Attorney.

Lancaster, Pa., Aug. 27.—The bodies of William T. and Joshua Levering, the young Baltimoreans who were drowned in the Susquehanna river at Safe Harbor last Thursday by the capsizing of a canoe, came to the surface yesterday near the spot where the drowning occurred. Searching parties working night and day since the accident only succeeded in their efforts when dynamite was used.

Ex-Minister Denby For McKinley.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—The Hon. Charles Denby, of Indiana, ex-United States minister to China, and member of the first commission to the Philippines, a lifelong Democrat, has written a letter urging the re-election of President McKinley. It is entitled, "Bryan's Attitude Towards the Philippines."

Ready For the Advance.

Cape Town, Aug. 27.—Lord Roberts arrived Saturday at Belfast, a few miles west of Machadodorp, where he met Sir Redvers Buller, Gen. French and Gen. Pole-Carew. Everything is now in readiness for the advance.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

By a recent court decision all squatters on the 60-foot strip along Nome Beach, Alaska, must vacate.

Congressman Charles H. Boutelle, of Maine, is rapidly recovering his health at a sanitarium at Waverly, Mass.

Temple Burned In Amoy.

Berlin, Aug. 25.—It is announced from Amoy that many more American and British missions in the neighborhood of Amoy have recently been looted and burned by mobs and that Thursday night a Japanese temple was burned.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Patrick Dennen, late of Anthony Township, County of Montour, State of Penn'a., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment; those having claims against the same will present them without delay, to

Bryan C. Dennen,
John S. Dennen,
Thomas Dennen,
Exectors.

Or to R. S. Ammerman, Attorney.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE

—OF VALUABLE—

REAL ESTATE.

ESTATE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON RISHEL, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAHONING, IN THE COUNTY OF MONTOUR, AND STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, DECEASED.

By virtue of an Order of the Orphan's Court of Montour County aforesaid granted to them for such purpose, the undersigned as administrators of the said decedent will expose to public sale upon the respective premises on

Friday, September, 14th., A. D. 1900.

at two o'clock in the afternoon of the said day, the following described real estate of the said decedent, to wit.

LOT OR PURPART, NO., I.—All that certain messuage, tenement and parcel of land situate in Mahoning Township, Montour County and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stone on the north side of the public road leading from Danville to Bloomsburg, thence by other lands of the said George Washington Rishel, north ten degrees west ten and nine-tenth perches to a post, then by the same north eighty-nine and one-half degrees west seventeen and three-tenths perches to a post, thence by land late of David Baylor, now deceased, south ten and one fourth degrees east ten and five tenths perches to the side of the aforesaid public road, thence along the north side of the public road south eighty-eight degrees east seventeen and four-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing one acre and twenty-one perches, whereupon are erected a

Two - Story Frame Dwelling House,

and other buildings with the appurtenances, also:

LOT OR PURPART NO. 2.—All that certain messuage, tenant and tract of land situate in Mahoning township, Montour county and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stone at a public road leading from Frog Town to Frosty Valley, a corner of this land, thence by land of David Roberts and Jacob Wireman along the said public road, south eighteen and one-fourth degrees east seventy-three and one-tenth perches to a stone in said road, thence by land of David and Peter Baylor south eighty-nine and one-half degrees, east twenty-seven perches to a stone, thence by the same south nine and three-fourths degrees east thirteen and two tenths perches to a stone in the said public road leading from Danville to Bloomsburg, thence along said last mentioned public road south eighty-seven and one-fourth degrees east ninety-nine and two-tenths perches to a stone in said last mentioned public road, thence by land of Solomon Rishel north nineteen and one-fourth degrees west one hundred and thirty-two perches to a stone, thence by land of E. B. Reynolds & Co., south seventy-one and one-fourth degrees west one hundred and fourteen and four-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing seventy-six acres and twenty-five perches, strict measure, whereon are erected a

Two - Story Frame Dwelling House,

a bank barn, wagon shed and other outbuildings with the appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE—Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money shall be paid in cash upon the striking down of the respective properties and the balance thereof shall be paid upon the confirmation absolute of the respective sales; deeds to be delivered to the respective purchasers thereof upon such confirmation absolute of such respective sales and the cost of writing the same, respectively, shall be paid by such respective purchasers.

EDWARD SAYRE GEARHART, Counsel.
PETER A. RISHEL.
J. C. RISHEL.
Administrators of George Washington Rishel, deceased.

Pennsylvania's Life Insurance.

Harrisburg, Aug. 27.—The annual report of Israel W. Durham, commissioner of insurance, for the fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1899, shows that an increase of $2,735,416 in the business of the life insurance companies of Pennsylvania over the preceding year of 1898. The total losses paid by all life companies in this state during 1899 was $12,477,959.61, of which home companies paid $1,852,752 and companies of other states $10,625,507.81. The insurance in force at the end of the year upon the lives of residents of Pennsylvania, including industrial policies of small amounts, was $867,973,742, of which $138,234,318 were in Pennsylvania companies.

Richard Croker Will Control.

New York, Aug. 29.—Partial returns from the primary elections held in the various counties of the state yesterday indicate that Richard Croker will control the Democratic state convention to be held at Saratoga on Sept. 11.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE ORPHAN'S COURT OF MONTOUR COUNTY.

Estate of Joseph R. Phillips, late of the Borough of Danville, in the County of Montour and State of Penn'a, dec'd.

In Re First and Final Account of Joseph W. Phillips, Daniel N. Dieffenbacher and Catherine Fry, Executors of the said Decedent.

The undersigned, Auditor, appointed by the aforesaid Court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the said accountants will meet all persons interested for the purposes of his said appointment at his Law Offices No. 106, Mill street, Danville, Pennsylvania, on **Monday, October 1, 1900,** at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, where and when all persons having any claim against the said fund are requested and required to present and prove the same or be debarred from thereafter coming in upon the said fund.

EDWARD SAYRE GEARHART, Auditor
Danville, Pa., Aug. 30th, 1900.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE ORPHAN'S COURT OF MONTOUR.

Estate of Joseph R. Phillips, late of the Borough of Danville, in the County of Montour and State of Pennsylvania, Deceased.

Account of Joseph W. Phillips, Daniel N. Dieffenbacher and Catharine Fry Executors of the said Decedent.

IN PARTITION.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the aforesaid Court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the said account will meet all persons interested for the purposes of his said appointment at his Law Offices No. 106 Mill street, Danville, Pennsylvania, on **Monday, October 1, 1900,** at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the said day where and when all persons having claims against the said fund are requested and required to present and prove the same or be debarred from thereafter coming in upon the said fund.

EDWARD SAYRE GEARHART, Auditor.
Danville, Pa., Aug. 30, 1900.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to holders of BOROUGH OF DANVILLE 4 per cent BONDS and to holders of WATER BONDS of said borough, bearing same rate of