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I shall keep nothing but first-class goods, and my prices will be found as low as the lowest. No pains will be spared to please my customers and give them honest value for their money.

Yours for bargains,

D. I. HAY, Hay's Block, Salisbury, Pa.

TOPICS AND COMMENT.

WHAT'S IN A NAME? The Order of the Solid Rock is declared to be insolvent.

The Hill ranks will be largely strengthened after Mr. Cleveland begins to dish out the pap.

MR. BLAINE keeps to his bed a long time for a man who is reported every day to be much better.

MAYBE that steel elephant which Chicago capitalists are to build for the World's Fair ought to be spelled s-t-e-a-l.

It is difficult to say which is the more to be degraded by visitors to Chicago, its foot-pads, or its drunken policemen.

The "skveicle" is the latest candidate for the favor of those who like to enjoy the excitement of dangerous traveling.

AS A MANIPULATOR of prophetic interviews, Mr. Croker can give Mr. Cleveland

cards and spades and then count two to his one.

The New York blackmailer who demanded \$1000 as the price of silence is an evident believer in the maxim "Silence is golden."

Blowing down a lamp chimney is one way to extinguish a light, but unless you are prepared to take the principal character at a funeral, don't do it.

That scheme for an exhibition of the work of amateur musicians, at the World's Fair, should be carefully managed, or it will largely increase the number of insane people.

Mrs. LANGTRY is in England and Sarah Bernhard is in Russia, but it is apparent to the readers of American newspapers that their press agents are paying the way for American tours.

The two New York women who have lived together 47 years without speaking to each other, must have kept their silence from the men in the neighborhood, or they would not be old maids.

MR. CLEVELAND may be compelled to drop Senator Carlisle from all cabinet calculations in order to prevent a free-for-all war of extermination among the would-be Senators from Kentucky.

GREAT is the power of the press! The New York Herald's daily "\$10-immigrants" editorials have unearthed an old law which provides for a city tax of \$35 for every immigrant who lands in New York City.

FAME may be outlived, as well as anything else. Witness the present predicament of M. De Lesseps, and compare it with the position his name would have had in history, if he had died soon after the completion of the Suez canal.

WHAT if Queen Victoria does manipulate a typewriter for amusement? We have girls over here who do the same thing, some for salaries and some for husbands, and every one of them is queen of some realm, but nobody thinks of speaking about it.

"WHAT will the Democrats do with their victory?" is the very easy question which our Republican contemporaries profess to be in doubt about. It is, however, easily answered—they will hold the offices, except those that may have been promised to the Mugwumps.

The gentlemen who are now talking so glibly about smashing the Democratic machine in New York are the very same fellows who have for many years periodically smashed Tammany, just as John L. is doing his fighting—by word of mouth. Talking is seldom a deciding factor in great events.

GEORGE W. VANDERBILT has given a building valued at \$100,000 to the American Fine Arts Society of New York. More liberality is displayed by the child who gives a penny for a picture card to give to a crippled playmate, and, comparing the resources, the latter would be more deserving of praise.

MR. CHARLES A. DANA has returned from Europe and is again at the helm of the brightest, if sometimes erratic, newspaper craft that ever hoisted sail. There is no truth in the story that Mr. Dana came home at Mr. Cleveland's request. Mr. Cleveland would not have objected to Mr. D.'s remaining abroad for the next four years.

THE Supreme court has sustained the decision of Judge Longenecker in the Meyersdale school board muddle. Of course the Commercial raises a howl about it, but what's the use to howl? Why didn't the Republicans have their tickets properly printed? It is only another instance of Republican carelessness and the outcome of the affair will probably teach a valuable lesson.

MR. A. D. THOMAS, of Duluth, Minn., predicts in a recent interview published in the Superior (Wis.) Inland Ocean that 20 years from now Superior and Duluth will be the largest steel-making centers in the world. These cities "have back of them," Mr. Thomas says, "practically an inexhaustible supply of iron ore, and there is no iron ore in the world that can be so cheaply mined as ours up here."

THE Representative from Illinois demands that the cash in the National treasury be counted. Nothing wrong about the demand, but the gentleman has probably forgot that the last time the Democrats counted the Treasury cash they first found a shortage of 2 cents and afterwards found the 2 cents. If the Representative from Illinois has anything that is at all likely to cause a sensation let him Springer at once.—Somerset Standard.

THE popular vote at the last election distinctly shows that it was not the increase of Mr. Cleveland's free trade Democratic vote which gave him his majority;

but the growth of the Weaver flat money vote to a strength of 1,025,060 in the Western states, which reduced the Republican vote and left it in the minority. No wonder banking and monetary centers are alarmed over the future of the currency when Democratic success is due to the growth of the successors of the old Greenback party.—Philadelphia Press.

W. C. WHITNEY, says the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, is said to have a plan for a committee chosen by Congress to travel next summer and examine the probable effect of tariff changes and report to Congress in December, 1893.

This is absurd. The Democratic party is pledged by its platform to destroy Protection. Let them go ahead and do it. Are they afraid to do what they promised, and as much afraid not to do it? Is the victorious Democracy like a timid fellow such as the Indians might name Man-Afraid-of-His-Own Shadow?

WHATEVER may be the intention of the author of the bill which has been introduced in the Senate, prohibiting the assemblage of ten or more men, bearing arms, for the purpose of drilling, unless they are called together by a militia or civil officer, it is a bad bill, and, we believe, unconstitutional, inasmuch as it would abridge the right of the citizen to own and bear arms. If enacted into a law this bill would disband every independent military organization, and would compel such civic organizations as the Knight Templars, Knights of Pythias, etc., to discard their swords.

To the "Wee-dette."

In reply to the witicism of the above named paper, published at Somerset, Pa., which last week referred to THE STAR as being published on the confines of Maryland and possibly being the Dog Star, we wish to say that we are pleased to see that this paper is beginning to be recognized as a star of the first magnitude.

The Dog Star, Sirius, is the most splendid star in the heavens. It rises and sets with the sun. The Egyptians by its means first determined the length of the year, having observed that it appeared on the horizon regularly every 360 days.

From our position on the confines of Maryland, or the southern part of Somerset county, Pa., we will continue to shine with peculiar benignancy on the "Wee-dette," and from the light borrowed from us, it may perhaps be occasionally recognized in its otherwise vain "Gitu Pango" attempt to sparkle.

Thrilling Mountain Ride.

What is known as The Flyer, the fastest train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, was delayed at Cumberland a few days ago by a wait on connections, and lost more time climbing up the mountains to Sand Patch. At Rockwood it was reported forty-five minutes late. From Rockwood to Connellsville is forty-four miles, and there were no orders against "making up" time.

So Engineer Brown settled himself in the easiest position he could and prepared for a run. The grade is tremendous on the west slope of the mountain and the curves are fearful. The speed of the train became fast and the passengers began to take note of it.

Then it got faster and some of the timid persons wished they were not on the train. It got faster still and no account was taken of the short curves, around which the engine flew with terrific sway. When the train reached the worst curve on the road, which is east of Ohio Pyle, and where all trains are supposed to slacken, Brown kept the throttle open in No. 844 and his engine passed the place running on the wheels of one side.

The speed was at that point over a mile a minute. There was actual fear among the passengers. Some of them screamed and some prayed, and more than a dozen of them were thrown from their seats to the floor. They could not get back and remained clinging to the seat arms. No one was really hurt, but the nerve shatter will keep many off trains for a month.

When Connellsville was reached the time of the train was taken. It had gone forty-four miles in forty minutes, including two stop.—Somerset Democrat.

Scene at the Inquest.

A verdict reminding us of the result of the famous Ravachol trial was lately given in Texas. A man had been shot dead in a little town on the upper Colorado. An inquest was held on the body. The jury examined it minutely and asked the doctor:

"Where did the bullet strike him?"

"In the heart."

"Just in the middle?"

"In the very center."

"Who shot him?"

"Jake Daniels."

A dozen witnesses deposed that Jake had fired the shot, and Jake himself acknowledged the fact. The jury spent some time in consultation.

"Well, gentlemen of the jury," said the Coroner, "what is your verdict?"

"Your Honor, we have come to the conclusion that Jake Daniels is the best shot in the district."—Ex.