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Last week we called your attention to our line of Clothing, Shoes, Hats, etc., and we don't want you to forget them, as we are adding to this line every day.

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FARMERS AND ROGUS BUTTER

Grangers to Hold the Machine Responsible if Secretary Hamilton Is Not Dismissed.

Ex-Senator Quay Has a Big Fight With His Philadelphia Lieutenants, But the Trouble Is Patched Up Later—Machine Bosses at Odds. The Ashbridge-English Mass Meeting in Philadelphia.

(From Our Own Correspondent) Harrisburg, May 29.—The farmers and dairymen of the state are so full of the offenses that have been perpetrated against them by state officials by means of which they have been robbed of millions of dollars annually. Behind the incompetency and corruption in the dairy and food commission at Harrisburg they discern the cloven hoof and the halting gait of the machine.

And this awakened indignation is finding vent in various ways. There is every reason to believe that unless the demands of the farmers and dairymen for the removal of Secretary John Hamilton are heeded by Governor Stone the machine will be broken up. It was reported last week that the farmers were preparing to take an active hand in politics in such an event. If Governor Stone declines to remove the demands of the Grangers for Mr. Hamilton's removal the Grangers will make the matter an official one by supporting a candidate of their own party who will regard Hamilton as a part of the machine which the governor declines to displace with. Every machine candidate, every man who is supposed to be a part of the machine, will be marked for defeat. A leading Granger, quoted in the Philadelphia Press of last week, said:

"The man is foolish who attempts to charge the farmers of Pennsylvania with particularly in demanding the removal of an official who is supposed to represent and protect the agricultural interests, and who has demonstrated that he does not represent them and is a party to the machine. It is the duty of the Grangers in this movement, beyond recognizing the fact that if Secretary Hamilton is removed his successor is bound to be a Granger, to support a candidate with Governor Stone and his administration. When it comes to the appointment of Mr. Hamilton's successor the Grangers must be heard and have a voice in making a choice of a competent man, in whom the farmers have confidence, and whose integrity is beyond question. There are many such men in the Republican party who fulfill these conditions, and there need be no difficulty in selecting one."

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MOORE OLEOMARGINE. "Whatever assurance the trust agents are giving to the farmers and dairymen of this state is a deception. During the 29 days ending last Saturday 57,222 packages of oleo were received by freight at the terminal stations. These packages weigh from 25 to 50 pounds, and the total weight of the oleo is estimated at 2,600,000 pounds. It is estimated by the express companies that more than 600,000 pounds of oleo were shipped during the same period, the bulk of which was received in the machine in the oleo factory in Camden, according to reliable information, has contributed nearly 60,000 pounds more to the grand total.

"Every pound of the oleomargine which is arriving to flood the market is colored in imitation of pure butter, although its sale is absolutely prohibited by law. Arrived with the color change decision of the superior court, Secretary Hamilton and his subordinates have the power to check instantly by the sale of the bogus butter and to stamp on the illicit traffic.

"But not a single effective step has been taken to enforce the law, and the latest bold move of the trust agents indicates that none are expected. There is a marked similarity between the present condition of official inactivity and that which existed under the administration of Levi Wells."

"That the farmers and dairymen of the state and the pure butter producers regard the old Quay machine as the protective power of the bogus butter combination is shown by the fact that they are being wired and written to President McKinley asking him to reappoint Hon. James M. Beck, who is no longer an Admiral in the United States Navy. As his wife has been twice married, it is charged that the great naval hero is only Mrs. Dewey's second mate. Well, a man in the navy can't very well officiate as Admiral and Second Mate at the same time. He must relinquish one title or the other.

"Useless lies the head that wears a crown," but the head that tells a great many of them lies easy.

A plan that promises well is proposed by Superintendent Foose, of the Harrisburg public schools. He asks for the establishment of a special school for incorrigible pupils and "chronic offenders." His idea is to have demonstrated by the school authorities to ordinary discipline. A strong and competent teacher could be assigned to this charge, and it is calculated that the pupils generally would be intimidated from being relegated to the school of discipline.

"There was to be an independent candidate again for Congress," is the cry of a few so-called newspapers that were a resident in the County convention to witfully and maliciously deceive the people. The truth is, as all intelligent men in this congressional district well know, that Mr. Tropp never was an independent candidate for Congress. Any newspaper claiming that he was, is a liar and knows he is lying when he tries to misrepresent Mr. Tropp and deceive the people. Yes, we believe in calling things by their right names.

The blackmailing scheme recently attempted upon John Wanamaker by a gang of well-known Quay officials in Philadelphia, recently is roundly condemned on all sides. Nearly every preacher of prominence and standing in Philadelphia has condemned the blackmailers from his pulpit, and nearly all the newspapers, with the exception of the Philadelphia Record, have condemned the foul conspiracy through their columns. About the only newspaper we know of that has come out openly in defense of the Philadelphia Blackmailers is the Somerset Herald, but nothing decent should be expected to emanate from that source. The Windsor Journal is about right when it says the Somerset Herald is the nastiest and dirtiest organ on earth.

The Longenecker-Reynolds-Quay Combine have had a sad time of it since they advertised for business in Bedford county. They were very eager to endorse Bryan in the County convention endorsing Quay, but, alas! before many months had passed there was no Quay left to endorse. They tumbled over themselves in their haste to announce to the "Old Man" their power to endorse Bryan in the County convention endorsing Quay. It never rains but it pours, and there are signs all around the horizon that this is not a good year to endorse Quay or stand sponsor for Governor Stone. It requires no prophet to foresee that the whole Quay-Brynes-Durham-Stone-Elkins gang is absolutely doomed.—Bedford Herald.

Heap Much Truth in This. The following from the Hyndman Bulletin shows the true sentiments exactly: "A few song birds are to be heard this year, but the decrease every year is very noticeable. Other states are passing laws to protect the song birds, but Pennsylvania appears to be waiting until the birds have all been killed before passing such a law.

If some of the money devoted to propagating and protection of fish in this state were used to raise song birds, it would prove of great benefit. The fish that are distributed by the million do not benefit one person out of a thousand, but let a Baltimore Oriole or some other pretty bird sing in your yard, and you will be glad to hear it. It is very seldom that anyone kills a bird, except the sparrow, just for sport.

Orders From Outside. When one of the adherents of the Scull Ring was asked recently why he joined in the bolt from the regular Republican convention, he replied: "It was against my judgment, and I did not approve it. I have always been a republican, and I believed that a bolt from the regular convention would injure the party; but 'Timmie' said, 'What else can we do? what else is left to do? and, besides that, I have orders from the authorities outside the county to do that very thing!'"

There you have it. The ringsters themselves knew it was wrong to bolt from the regular convention, but giving way in blind obedience to the whim of the bumptious individual whom they have so blindly followed for years, they joined in the bolt, and made themselves figures in a spectacle that will forever haunt them. The Scull Ring's bolt from the Republican convention of 1900 will be remembered as the desperate effort of a repudiated clique to ruin the organization it could not control—the crowning act of perfidy on the part of men who had for years reaped the benefits of pretended fealty to party.

When the enormity of this crowning act of treachery has been fully realized by the Republicans of this county, the leaders in it will stand out as traitors and pretenders, and the truth of the Standard's re-iterated assertion that they were in the party only to rule or ruin it will be apparent.

And so the "brilliant leader" had "orders from higher authority outside the county," had he? Of course that "higher authority" means the Quay machine, and only goes to prove what the Standard has so often said—that this "brilliant leader" was a servant of the machine, and that he was using the Republicans of this county to make his services effective. The deception has been going on for years, with more or less success, but it met with shameful exposure when Mr. Scull led his blind followers in a bolt from the regular Republican convention, and his efforts to justify that act were so completely and so utterly futile that he was obliged to admit that he was a servant of the machine.

There Are Others. The scandalous efforts of Judge John G. Love to lasso the politics of Centre county in the interest of Quayism have led to the revival of an opinion expressed by a former judge of that district on the subject of political judges. Jonathan Walker, having been promoted in 1818 from the bench of Centre county to the federal judgeship for the western district of Pennsylvania, said, in taking leave of his district, that "a party and electioneering judge is the greatest curse that ever fell upon a free people. Public satisfaction cannot be given, nor public confidence inspired. If he were as pure as the ermine of an apostle, his motives would be often suspected, his motions jealously watched, and his most virtuous intentions constantly thwarted. It is such an unfortunate judge." It was due to his lofty views and high appreciation of the dignity and responsibility of the bench that Judge Walker was thought fit to be made a United States judge. Things are different in the Centre district today.

A Fittle Plan. Wharton Barker, the Presidential nominee of the Middle-of-the-Road Populists, has offered the Democracy some advice. He states very truly that his nomination and the action of the Sioux Falls convention have removed the bulk of the populist strength from Mr. Bryan, and the latter's nomination will therefore mean only defeat. The thing to do, therefore, Mr. Barker says, is to nominate Olney or Gorman or some other sound money democrat, who would get the electoral votes of New York, Delaware, New Jersey and Maryland.

Admitting for the sake of argument that such a result would follow, the election of the Democratic Presidential candidate would by no means be as sure. These four states have 55 electoral votes, which were all given to McKinley four years ago. Deducting them from the 271 he received would leave only 216, or eight less than the 221 necessary to elect. If Bryan were thrown overboard Nebraska would vote for the Republican candidate, and its eight votes would be sufficient to elect McKinley. Then also Kansas, Wyoming, Washington and South Dakota, with a total of 21 votes, all of which were given to Bryan four years ago, and also his one vote in California, would be cast for McKinley, giving him 246 votes. A hard money Democratic candidate might perhaps take the 12 votes in Kentucky which McKinley got in 1896, and still leave him 234 votes. Indiana, Connecticut and West Virginia have 25 votes, which a sound money Democrat might have some claims upon, but such a candidate would lose the free silver states of Colorado, Nevada, Idaho, Montana and Utah, with 15 votes, which would be Republican or Populist, and McKinley would either still have 225 votes or else the election would be thrown into the House of Representatives, which would choose him.—Pittsburg Times.

Mr. Quay is Confident Again. "I am a candidate," says Mr. Quay, "and I will be elected Governor of the State by the next Legislature."

"I am perfectly confident that the Senate will reappoint me Governor Stone's appointment," said Mr. Quay later.

"Mr. Quay is not a candidate for reelection. He only pretends to be for business reasons."—North American.

The Census and Persons Away from Home During June. The count of the people in the United States will begin in all parts of the country June 1, and in the cities two weeks later, and in the rest of the country before the close of the month. The people are to be counted at their places of residence, but as many persons and families will be away from their homes during June there is some danger that such persons will not be counted. If they are not counted, the locality in which they live will be misrepresented to that extent, and in some cases this misrepresentation may be enough to affect the representation in Congress of the state from which they come. Local pride and state pride, therefore, should influence all such absentees to take reasonable precautions against being omitted from enumeration in their places of residence. Such omissions are most likely to occur in the large cities where families close their houses and go elsewhere for the summer. The occurrence of the Paris exposition this year is likely to increase the number absent from the country. In all cases of contemplated absence the head of the family is requested by the Census Office to communicate with the supervisor of the district in which he lives. He is also requested to leave information regarding his answers to the questions which are to be asked with some responsible neighbor who will agree to see that it reaches the enumerator on his rounds. Such information might better be left as a memorandum in writing, as in that case it is less likely to be overlooked. The questions to which answers are desired apply primarily to the population, but also to all farms and manufacturing establishments. They are being published from time to time in the press of the country.

By taking this trouble the absent citizen will do justice to his locality and his state, and materially aid the Census Office in the performance of its duties.

George H. Scull, of Somerset, is the Census Supervisor of this district.

THE CENSUS. Here Are the Questions You Will Have to Answer. The questions that the enumerators will ask will be numerous, but they will not include some of those which were considered most objectionable in 1890. These are abolished, not because the people objected to answering them, but because they proved to be utterly worthless as a basis for statistics on chronic diseases, for which they were designated.

1. Surname, Christian name, initial. 2. Residence, street number of house. 3. Relationship of each member to the head of the family. 4. Color or race. 5. Sex. 6. Age, at last birthday. 7. Day, month and year, when born. 8. Are you single, married, widow, widower, or divorced? 9. Number of year married. 10. How many children? 11. Number of children living. 12. Give the names of all children. 13. Where were you born? If in the United States, give state or territory; if of foreign birth, give name of the country only. 14. Where was your father born? Your mother? (Same conditions as to the foregoing.) 15. If of foreign birth, when did you come to the United States? 16. How many years have you resided in the United States? 17. Have you been naturalized? How many years since you became a citizen? 18. What is your occupation, trade or profession? (This question applies to persons ten years of age or over.) 19. How many months have you been employed? 20. How many months have you attended school? 21. Can you read? 22. Can you write? 23. Give the main facts concerning your education. 24. Do you own the house in which you live? 25. Do you rent the house in which you live? 26. If you own the house, is it free or mortgaged? (The same questions apply to farms.)

WHY SO MANY YOUNG MEN FAIL. Hotly Green Says the Scarcest Thing in the World is a Thoroughly Reliable Man. "One trouble with many young men who start out in business is they try to do too many things at once," says Hotly Green. "The 'Reliable Man in America' in the June Ladies' Home Journal. 'The result is that they don't know as much as they ought to about any one thing, and they naturally fail. The trouble with the young men who work on salaries is that they're always afraid of doing more than they're paid for. They don't enter into their work with the right spirit. To get on and be appreciated a young man must do more than he's paid to do. When he does something that his employer has not thought of, he shows that he is valuable. Men are always willing to pay good salaries to people who will think of things for them. The man who only carries out the thoughts and ideas of another is nothing more than a mere tool. Men who can be relied upon are always in demand. The scarcest thing in the world today is a thoroughly reliable man."

"Bill" Pritts, Long Sought as an Alleged Moonshiner, is Finally Captured. CONNELSVILLE, May 29.—"Bill" Pritts aged 33 years, who has evaded the trails of revenue officers during the past twenty years, and against whom are pending charges of murder and moonshining, was this afternoon captured by two Government officers, who, single-handed, made a swift descent upon their man and carried him off to prison out of a region filled with his sympathizers.

Pritts was this evening lodged in the borough prison. He is wanted for the shooting of "Koney" Hostetter, whom he is accused of having killed because Hostetter divulged the secrets of the illegal distillers.

Pritts' two sons are also in the toils of the law, having been tried at Pittsburg recently on a charge of moonshining. The jury disagreed, and the boys will be tried again in October.

Pritts was captured in the wilds of the Chestnut Ridge. The capture was made by County Detective Alexander McBeth and Revenue Officer Dickson, of Pittsburg.

This morning the officers learned that Pritts had gone from his home to that of John Tinkey, four miles across the mountains. Thither the officers went. When near the house they suddenly came across Pritts, sitting on the edge of a field. He ran about half a mile before the officers caught up to him. The officers threw him down and by main strength put handcuffs on him.

Pritts' still was found one mile from his home when his sons were arrested some months ago.

Sam Jones on The Newspaper. In a recent address Rev. Sam Jones used these significant words: "No man whose life is true, pure and just, is afraid of all the newspaper presses in America. They are the best detectives that God ever sent into the world to penetrate our shams, and so far as I am concerned, I say, take the bribe, and let them go. The only ones that will be hurt will be the shams and frauds. And if you think the newspaper is too much of a sensational kind, don't you read it."