



REPUBLICAN NATIONAL TICKET.

For President, WILLIAM H. TAFT, Of Ohio.

For Vice President, JAMES S. SHERMAN, Of New York.

STATE.

Judge of Superior Court, WILLIAM D. PORTER.

DISTRICT.

Congress, 23rd District, ALLEN F. COOPER.

COUNTY.

Legislature, WM. H. FLOTO, A. W. KNEPPER.

Sheriff, CHARLES H. WEIMER.

Auditor, W. H. H. BAKER, JACOB S. MILLER.

Recorder of Deeds, NORMAN E. BERKEY.

Clerk of Courts, F. A. HARAH.

Register of Wills, BERT F. LANDIS.

Treasurer, RUSSELL G. WALKER.

Prothonotary, JACOB B. GERHARD.

Poor Director, JACOB C. DEITZ.

County Commissioner, R. S. McMILLEN, JOSIAH SPECHT.

County Surveyor, IRENIS S. PYLE.

almost any purpose. Saloon-keepers often do that very thing, and we have seen more than one saloon-keeper's business card with garbled scriptural quotations on the back of it in support of the liquor traffic. It would be a ludicrous thing to see narrow-minded bigots and asses trying to bolster up the Democratic party with the Holy Scriptures, were it not for the fact that the ignoramuses resorting to it are doing something little short of blasphemy. It is preposterous to attempt to harmonize the Holy Scriptures with an organization that has covered itself as often and as completely with infamy as has the Democratic party. The little brown jug and the Democratic party go well together, but the Bible is out of place with that party, especially with the revolutionary brand of Democracy which Mr. Bryan stands for. Mr. Tasker's article is as full of misstatements as the average yellow dog is full of fleas, and it reflects only the ignorance and bigotry of the man. The whole thing recalls to mind the trite old saying that "When the devil was sick, The devil a saint would be; But when the devil was well, Devil the saint was he."

Much of the would-be religious gush that is being written by narrow-minded Democrats, these days, is being generously overlooked, however, for the reason that such Democratic devils in sheep's clothing are very sick about this time, and are getting sicker each day. On the morning of Nov. 4th they will be still sicker, and the victorious followers of broad-minded, good and patriotic "Bill" Taft will soon have buried the old Democratic political corpse for another four-year term.

POLLS AND PAPERS.

The New York World, which is antagonistic to Taft, announces the result of six secret polls taken by that paper in the Astor theater, the Grand opera house and the Hippodrome during the past week. They figure out as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Candidate and Votes. FOR PRESIDENT: Taft (1,300), Bryan (832), Debs (69), Hisgen (62). FOR GOVERNOR: Chanler (1,422), Hughes (824), Shearn (204). FOR PRESIDENT IN 1904: Roosevelt (1,422), Parker (349), Debs (91). FOR GOVERNOR IN 1906: Hughes (1,276), Hearst (338).

The World is supporting Hughes, though; which goes to show that if the poll correctly reflects the sentiment in Greater New York, it hardly reflects that of The World. We hardly know whether to charge this hiatus up to the gross ignorance of the voters, or to their supreme indifference to the logic of that journal. However, the poll bears out the practical correctness of one of our suspicions—that the agency, journalistic or otherwise, which undertakes to prejudice the public mind against Roosevelt, or against Taft as Roosevelt's choice and his logical successor, has a job on its hands.—Uniontown Herald.

Prominent Labor Leader Pays High Tribute to Hon. A. F. Cooper.

Before a multitude which crowded the Opera House in Brownsville, Saturday night, M. M. Garland, one of the ablest and most intelligent labor leaders in the United States, and formerly President of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, uttered the following words: "I am always pleased to take an opportunity to say a word in behalf of my friend, Hon. Allen F. Cooper. He is a man who has never been appealed to in vain in behalf of legislation to aid the toiling masses."

In one respect Mr. Cooper is fortunate. He is the subject of as much sincere and disinterested appreciation as any man ever chosen by the people of this county or district to represent them. And we venture to say that this little tribute of Mr. Garland's will be set down by Mr. Cooper as one of the most cherished among his many recent evidences of public appreciation.—Uniontown Herald.

WOULD MORTGAGE THE FARM.

A farmer on Rural Route 2, Empire, Ga., W. A. Floyd by name, says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured the two worst sores I ever saw; one on my hand and one on my leg. It is worth more than its weight in gold. I would not be without it if I had to mortgage the farm to get it." Only 25c. at E. H. Miller's drug store. 11-1

DEMOCRATIC SOLDIER SPEAKS.

He and His Five Sons Will All Vote for Cooper.

VANDERBILT, Pa., Oct. 8, 1908. Editor Herald, Uniontown, Pa. DEAR SIR:—I wish to take this means of announcing my determination to vote and work for Hon. A. F. Cooper to secure his return to Congress. While a Democrat, I feel that Mr. Cooper has done more for this district, more for the old soldiers and the whole people than anybody else who may be mentioned in the Twenty-third District of Pennsylvania.

I am an old soldier, having been a member of Company K, Second Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery, organized in Uniontown, under Captain A. S. Miller, in 1862. Therefore I am speaking both as a voter and old soldier, and in both these capacities I feel that not only myself, but others should give their best support to Mr. Cooper to keep him in Congress, a place which he fills to the best interests of his constituents.

I may also add that not only myself, but five other voting members of my family will cast votes in November for Mr. Cooper. Respectfully yours, ELIJAH JOHNSON.

MARRIED MAN IN TROUBLE.

A married man who permits any member of the family to take anything except Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, is guilty of neglect. Nothing else is as good for all pulmonary troubles. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, proprietor. 11-1

MORE APPRECIATION.

Few members of Congress from Pennsylvania have served their constituents so long and so ably as the Hon. Ernest F. Acheson, of Washington, Pa. And the fact that he was defeated for the nomination this year has not prejudiced his view to the extent of refraining from paying a well-merited compliment to a colleague, even should that colleague enjoy the privilege denied him—viz., a renomination, which practically means a reelection. In a passage below, quoted from Mr. Acheson's paper, the Washington Observer, it will be noted that Mr. Acheson speaks with that conviction born of a long experience in Washington, D. C. It was the length of Mr. Acheson's tenure in Congress which enabled him to reach that commanding position at the capital that entitled him to that consideration for his constituents impossible of attainment by any new member.

In reply to the stupid assertion of a Waynesburg paper that the Hon. A. F. Cooper, of this district, had worn the "honor" long enough, Mr. Acheson's paper says: "This is not much of a reason why the people should not re-elect him. No better argument could be given for his re-election. He is just now in position, to be of some service to his constituents, and his experience is worth much to the people. The people of the Twenty-third district will do well by retaining their present representative in Congress for many years, if they have no better excuse for retiring him than that he has worn the honor long enough."

This voluntary testimonial should prove extremely gratifying not only to Mr. Cooper, but to the people of this district, who will naturally appreciate this evidence of esteem for their representative.

Republican Rally.

The Salisbury Republican Club had an enthusiastic meeting, yesterday evening, and it was decided to hold a Republican rally in Hay's opera house next Wednesday evening. Able speakers will be on hand to discuss the issues of this campaign in a fair and unprejudiced manner, and people of all political shades and doctrines are respectfully invited to attend.

The club will have its next meeting next Tuesday evening, in the Club room, McKinley building, and all Republicans should be on hand, as an interesting session is promised.

HAD A CLOSE CALL.

Mrs. Ada L. Croom, the widely known proprietor of the Croom Hotel, Vaughn, Mass., says: "For several months I suffered with a severe cough, and consumption seemed to have its grip on me, when a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery. I began taking it, and three bottles effected a complete cure." The fame of this life-saving cough and cold remedy, and lung and throat healer is world wide. Sold at E. H. Miller's drug store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. 11-1

LIKINS A "MISTAKE."

From the Berlin Record.

Col. W. M. Likins, the Prohibition candidate for Congress in this district, is a "mistake." That is the expression heard from numerous Prohibitionists who have read his paper that is being freely circulated hereabouts, and who have heard his "speeches." The Prohibition party has always stood for a principle and has within the past several years impressed the people to a considerable extent. But Candidate Likins has undone all that the faithful adherents of the cold water cause have accomplished, and it is doubtful if more than two-thirds the party's former strength will be polled at the coming election. It was a "mistake" to have put him on the ticket in the first place, and it was a still bigger "mistake" on the part of the Somerset county Prohibitionist to permit him to stump this county, expounding his impracticable and idiotic doctrines. His "speeches" are enough to class him among the "foolish." His harangues about Fayette county politics have no interest to our people, while his arguments are too wild and flimsy to even invite consideration. Imagine banking institutions being compelled to publish the names of the makers and endorsers, together with the amounts of all notes carried. Such an idea could seemingly only emanate from a diseased brain. And many of his other doctrines are just as idiotic. He assails almost everybody and everything, except Likins and his ludicrous ideas, charging all kinds of corruption and improper practices. Can the thought be father to the deeds, were conditions reversed? His candidacy is not hurting anybody, and were it not for the fact that the people become disgusted at hearing everything reviled, no attention would be paid to his wild rantings, but the people are not fools enough to be made to believe that there is nothing but corruption in the world, and they are getting a surfeit of his abusive tirades. He is a "mistake," and when the votes are counted on the night of November 3 it will be realized more fully.

ARE YOU ONLY HALF ALIVE?

People with kidney trouble are so weak and exhausted that they are only half alive. Foley's Kidney Remedy makes healthy kidneys, restores lost vitality, and weak, delicate people are restored to health. Refuse any but Foley's. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, proprietor. 11-1

OBJECT LESSONS.

A member of The Herald staff paid a visit to Pittsburg a day or two ago. On the way back he became involved in a discussion of national politics with some Uniontown people. Sitting in the same compartment was a man who up until a certain point had taken no part in the discussion. And when he thought one of the Taft arguments needed a little clinching, he leaned forward, at the same time pulling a book out of his pocket, and said: "Excuse me, gentlemen. I do not care to butt in; but I can show you that two of the largest orders I took yesterday were with the stipulation that they were to be cancelled in case of Bryan's election. I am forced to book many of my orders the same way. In other cases, the orders are booked with the understanding that they are to be cut 33 1/3 and as much as 50 per cent. in the event of Bryan's election. I am from New York, and I would be willing to bet that more than half the traveling men from that and other wholesale cities will tell you the same thing."

This is certainly an interesting commentary on the candidacy of W. J. Bryan. Remember, this is no trust dodge or political ruse. This is simply the feeling of the merchants, the middleman. Let any man who doubts this take a walk down Main street in Uniontown, this afternoon, and let him ask the merchants whether they are for Taft or Bryan, and why. There will be one or two for Bryan, but the great majority will be for Taft, and the reason they will give is their fear that a return to normal business conditions will be postponed in case of Bryan's election until the end of his term.

We believe there are many talking for Bryan who will not vote for him when they take their sober second thoughts between now and election day.—Uniontown Herald.

SAVED HIS BOY'S LIFE.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, proprietor. 11-1

A COSTLY AND GHASTLY MISTAKE.

THE STAR can truly and honestly sanction every word of the following opinion gleaned from the Uniontown Herald:

"We believe the election of William J. Bryan to the Presidency of the United States would be one of the gravest political mistakes this country ever made.

"We do not base this assertion on partisan grounds. We do not base it upon matters of party doctrine or principle. We base it upon our judgment of the man and his character.

"Bryan can be charged with incompetency, inexperience, instability, inadequacy of judgment, lack of business equipment, and even lack of character. If he stood on a platform handed down by the angels, we still believe he would be unfit to take up the work where it will be left by President Roosevelt.

"Bryan is an ambitious dreamer. He dreamt so much when he was a struggling young lawyer that he had to struggle out of the law. He was a failure. In Congress his sole claim to fame rested on his reputation for taking the floor whenever he got an opportunity. He may have been a Democrat, but there is no doubt he was a bore and a nuisance. On the committee on ways and means, the most important in Congress, and the committee charged with the consideration of the tariff, he showed such an utter lack of knowledge on the subject of American industries that his record there now returns to damn him.

"Bryan was still dreaming when he burst into the Democratic National convention in 1896 with his 'Cross of Gold' specialty and his free silver fallacy. To-day he realizes the gold standard is good enough for him and the country. He was dreaming when he said the failure of the country to go into the unlimited coinage of silver would bring untold disaster. His defeat and that of his theory were succeeded by a decade of the greatest prosperity in the history of the country.

"Bryan is the veriest tyro in statecraft. As President he would be entering into the consideration of questions of momentous interest to this country and the world without any appreciation of diplomatic matters. He would appoint a secretary of the treasury and run the affairs of that department without a knowledge of the fundamentals of finance. If in his treatment of matters of state he applied the same rule as that which dictated his conduct in that little affair of the Bennett will, he would simply succeed in hopelessly muddling matters. He has made a success of nothing in life but agitation, chasing one cure-all after another, appealing eternally to the unsophisticated element of our citizenship.

"As President of the United States, Bryan would be a joke, a costly, ghastly joke—a joke which would bring disaster to the nation and destitution to many a fireside."

A JEWELER'S EXPERIENCE.

C. R. Kinger, The Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed. Elk Lick Pharmacy, E. H. Miller, proprietor. 11-1

LIKINS ASSAILS THE CHURCHES.

From the Uniontown Herald. The deep-sea politicians who are inducing Likins to inflict himself on the people of the Twenty-third Congressional district in the hope that he can weaken the personal and political standing of the Hon. A. F. Cooper, will have much to answer for from the standpoints of morality and business.

A few days ago The Herald had before it the painful task of showing how Likins was devoting his time to casting odium on the conduct of our banks, to the menace of the financial integrity of the community, and despite the fact that some of the most earnest leaders in his own party are in the banking business. In his speeches in Greene county he attacked the Negro race, saying that of the 2,000 negro voters in Fayette county, the number that could not be bought on election day could be counted on the fingers of his two hands. Now he is attacking the churches, especially those of Uniontown. For what reason we do not know, unless it is because the churches of Uniontown, to maintain their respect and the confidence of their members, could do nothing else than repudiate him. As one prominent churchman said some time ago: "It looked for awhile as if Likins would join our body. We were certainly afraid, because none of us knew what we would do with him."

In his street speech in Salisbury, Somerset county, last week, before a small audience composed principally of women and children, Likins is alleged to have said that the churches of Uniontown are corrupt, so corrupt, in fact that a decent man would not want to enter them. What does this man mean in a talk like that before women and children? If the fellow has a spark of sense, he knows that he slanders the places built and dedicated to the worship of Almighty God, and the learned and Godly men who fill their pulpits and preach the Word to their congregations. Is there no institution of God or man safe from the assault of this reckless character assassin, business assailant and church vilifier?

The people, however, are pleased at his candidacy for one reason—it has given them a chance to see this individual unmasked, to size him up before of his sheep's clothing. His political existence is a stench in the nostrils of society. He has done as much damage to his own reputation as he possibly can, and now the sincere temperance workers who heretofore backed him with their cash and influence are beginning to find themselves splashed with his mud.

LIKINS IN BERLIN.

Following is the way honest and plain-spoken Editor Begley, of the Berlin Gleaner, sizes up "Windy Bill" Likins:

"We did not have time to listen to W. M. Likins' speech in Berlin, last night, since time was too valuable. From a portion of it which fell to our ears we fear that some more preparation for the speech would not have been out of order.

"He may be quite an authority on banks, but when he argues that every bank must publish to the world all the money loaned, to whom loaned, and the name of the indorsers, it cannot well be appreciated by an intelligent audience.

"It might be in order for him to explain what he would advocate a bank doing in case of a bogus check coming before them. Should it be honored, or should it not? "By his remarks many Prohibitionists were led to realize that a mistake had been made in the nomination. Prohibitionists seldom split their tickets, but we have reason to believe that it is going to be done November 3, since they are nearly all truthful men, and some of them have so declared themselves."

The foregoing remarks from the Gleaner are all the more interesting because of the fact that the Gleaner is owned by Prohibition County Chairman Fred Groff and other prominent Prohibitionists and temperance workers.

Winter Courses in Agriculture.

Two hundred and twenty-five students are enrolled in the four and two years' courses in agriculture at The Pennsylvania State College. Their education is part of the work of our state school of agriculture, but there are other young men needing service. Many persons do not have the time for a college education, but they can give the winter to study. For this reason winter courses in agriculture were established at the college last year, and ninety men were enrolled.

They found the lectures and practical exercises adapted to the need of men who want to increase their earning power. Underlying principles were studied, and practical methods of dealing with crops, soils, orchards, animals and dairy products were given these young men. They returned to their homes with a desire to encourage others to come to the college next winter for study under its practical scientists. The enrollment will be large. The courses begin December 1st and close February 24th. The association with hundreds of students in agriculture and the study of problems arising in the every-day life of the farmer make these winter courses an opportunity that a bright young man cannot afford to miss.

The free illustrated bulletin describing the five winter courses in agriculture is ready for distribution. Address School of Agriculture, State College, Pa.

A HEALTHY FAMILY.

"Our whole family has enjoyed good health since we began using Dr. King's New Life Pills, three years ago," says L. A. Bartlet, of Rural Route 1, Guilford, Maine. They cleanse and tone the system in a gentle way that does you good. 25c. at E. H. Miller's drug store. 11-1