

# The Evening Herald.

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ONE CENT.

## THE SUREST ROAD TO WEALTH IS THROUGH LIBERAL ADVERTISING

### WHAT IT DOES.

In one breath the Iowa Democrats profess great devotion to the interests of the laboring masses and demand free public employment agencies, and in almost the next breath they denounce the greatest employment agency ever created by law, the protective tariff system. Remember, what the McKinley bill does; it raises duties on goods of which we have been importing \$200,000,000 a year so that we can make them in this country instead of importing them. It is building new mills and enlarging old mills in almost every corner of the land. The measure of the opportunity it gives to such mills by providing them with the home market is the success with which it keeps out imported goods. The increased duty on tin plate went into effect July 1.

We import \$21,000,000 of tin plate yearly, and the new duty will enable us to make a very large part of that here. If you want to see what sort of an "employment agency" that is, go over to Brooklyn and see the tin plate mill, over 300 feet long, that Somers Brothers are building. Now honestly, workmen, what do you think of a party that professes to want to get work for you and that howls against the greatest agency ever set foot to make work for you? What would you think of a village councilman who promised to work for you and then voted against giving a site to the owners of a factory who had promised to come and locate in that village if they got a site to build their mill on?

### Hold It to the Light.

The man who tells you confidentially that what will cure your cold is prescribing Kemp's Balsam this year. In the preparation of this remarkable medicine for coughs and colds no expense is spared to combine only the best and purest ingredients. Hold a bottle of Kemp's Balsam to the light and look through it; notice the bright, clear look; then compare with other remedies. Price 50c. and \$1.

### Playing Cards.

You can obtain a pack of best quality playing cards by sending fifteen cents in postage to P. S. Eustis, Gen'l Pass. Agt., B. C. & Q. R. R. Chicago, Ill.

### 20 CENTS per yd for the BEST TABLE OILCLOTH.

Sold in other stores for 35c. All door oilcloths reduced. Call for bargains. C. D. FRICKE'S

Carpet Store, 10 South Jardin St., near Centre

## "Northwestern Daisy!"

A high grade Patent Flour—the choicest Minnesota Wheat used. Makes more bread than ordinary flour.

EASY TO BAKE.

Guaranteed Equal in every respect to any Fancy Flour in the market.

\$6.00 PER BARREL.

For sale only at KEITER'S.

### JUST RECEIVED.

Fine Natural Color Pickles—solid and sour.

Bloater Mackerel—large and fat.

Fancy Table Syrup—pure goods.

Fresh Dairy Butter.

strictly Pure Lard.

Brazil Nuts—New Crop—Commonly called Cream Nuts—4 pounds for 25c.

JAVA COFFEE—Fresh Roasted.

### NOW ON THE WAY.

New Oil Cloths and Brussels Carpets—

New Patterns for the Fall Trade.

## AT KEITER'S.

## THE POLITICIANS.

### THEIR VIEWS ON THE POLITICAL COUNTY SITUATION.

#### JUDGE GREEN FOR THE JUDGESHIP

#### Ex-District Attorney Pomeroy is Spoken of as a Candidate for the Constitutional Convention—Eli Perkins.

If that little band of "dissatisfied Republicans" would flip over to the Democratic party in a body they would no doubt find the company congenial. They vote the Democratic ticket nine times out of ten. They are undeserving of being recognized as Republicans.

Ex-District Attorney J. H. Pomeroy, of Shenandoah, is a candidate for the Constitutional Convention from this district. Mr. Pomeroy's nomination would mean his election. He possesses every qualification in the highest degree to discharge the duties of the office.—*Ashland Local.*

The friends of Joe Woll, of Pottsville, want him to secure the nomination for Sheriff on the Democratic ticket. They do not ask this, but demand it, and declare they will not take a back seat. How does this suit the north-of-the-mountain Democratic candidates who have become weary of waiting for their turn? Then, again, south-of-the-mountain people want the Judgeship on the Democratic ticket. They are not backward. The earth would suit them exactly—if they could get their arms around it. It seems they have a mortgage on the Democratic party. They furnish the candidates and the Democratic party north-of-the-mountain furnish the votes. It is understood Ashland and Tamaqua are to have the Democratic representatives to the Constitutional Convention, Mahanoy City will be given the Poor Directorship to suek and Shenandoah will get nothing.

North-of-the-mountain Republicans believe that Judge Green should succeed himself and there are a number of Democrats of the same opinion. Judge Green has demonstrated his ability for the office in a manner that bars challenge and he will poll an unprecedented large vote next fall should the Republicans nominate him, and there seems to be no doubt about them doing so. The *Ashland Local*, edited by our friend J. Harry James, says:

The Hon. D. B. Green should, and will be his own successor as he deserves to be, and no pushing forward of ambitious aspirants will avail to deprive him of this merited and well earned honor. He is recognized among lawyers and judges as one of the ablest and most scholarly Common Pleas Judges in the country, and among our Schuylkill county people he has won their approval by his stern and uncompromising judicial integrity. Schuylkill county has an enviable record, in the good sense, she has displayed in her efforts to keep the judiciary free from the political mire, that tend to destroy the usefulness of

our Courts, and with the greatest pride point to Judges Peshing, Bechtel and Green as their Common Pleas Judges, second to none in judicial integrity and ability, and absolutely free from political prejudices and personal friendships, while in the discharge of their duties. The people of Schuylkill county are satisfied with their judges, they desire no change, and have so expressed themselves heretofore. Would it not be well for our young and able friends, who have "their eyes fixed" for the bench, to abide their time, until a vacancy may occur from other causes than an expiration of term of office; when it will be our pleasure to aid them in reaching the honored position their ability and esteem entitles them to? There should be no opposition to Judge Green's nomination and election.

Our go-ahead and undaunted townsman, James J. Franey, has sided his castor into the political ring and will make a contest for a delegateship to the Constitutional Convention. There is only one thing that can be said against "Jim"—he is a Democrat. Intellectually and socially he is one of the best fellows in the town, but he has always been an ardent supporter of and worker in the Democratic party and the enemy and his friends are always able to tell just where he stands. That is more than can be said of a number who have succeeded in securing fat offices in the county at the hands of that political faction. His loyalty to his party makes "Jim" a formidable candidate and, if this section must be represented by a Democrat in the convention, the *HERALD* has no hesitancy in saying that he is the best man the Democratic party can decide upon. That he will attend the convention regularly and endeavor to make himself heard whenever the opportunity presents itself cannot be questioned.

The *Williamsport Gazette-Bulletin* speaks in the following terms of the latest issue in which the handful of ragged-edged Philadelphia Republicans have dabbled: "There is nothing new or startling in the latest onslaught of a few scattering Republicans against Quasy's leadership in this state. It is well-known that most of the signers of the so-called address represent a class ever ready, willing and too anxious to stab, at every favorable opportunity, what they term their own party. These men are not the leaders of Republicanism in the state—they are mischief-makers and strife-headers, and are urged on by the Democratic party. Their latest effort in behalf of the opposition will have little influence on the rank and file of the party. It is even intimated, and there is a very strong suspicion of correctness of the assertion, that some of the shrewd Democratic leaders were not unaware of the move that was being made by these so-called Republicans. If Quasy is objectionable to the Republican organization the remedy can be applied without the assistance of the agency, and it is to be hoped that the Republican party in Pennsylvania will not permit itself to be led into a trap, so shallow that even the blind can see."

An Indianapolis dispatch says: Eli Perkins passed through this city last night en route to Texas. When asked how the protective tariff was working in the East he said: "The wicked protectionists are doing great damage. Why, they are breaking up all the manufacturers of Europe and ruining our free trade importers in New York. We used to be able to send \$35,000,000 a year to England for plush and velvet, but these wicked protectionists put a duty on plush and made Sir Titus Salt move his million dollar plush plant, with a thousand employes, to Bridgeport, Conn. Another plush factory has gone up at Clark's Mills, south of Ulva, another at Cassanqua, Pa., until we now have nine big plush factories in the United States, and the poor English plush factories are working on half time."

"The Christian free traders used to send \$40,000,000 to Saxony for knit goods, stockings, Jerseys, etc., and now the wicked protectionists are doubling their mills all over this country. Terrible? I should say so."

"Why, for the last forty years we have been sending \$40,000,000 annually to Wales for tin. Wicked McKinley doubled the tin tariff, and on Saturday six tons of block tin came into New York from California. This fact is, the wicked protectionists are selfishly looking after the prosperity of America. They are protecting the farmers' sheep and letting South American sheep farmers starve."

"By and by these wicked protectionists will make this the richest country on earth, while the Christian New York importers will be starving and half the factories of Europe will be closed. It is dreadful!"

### Completed to Deadwood.

The Burlington Route, C. & Q. E. R., from Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis, is now completed, and daily passenger trains are running through Lincoln, Neb., and Ouster, S. D., to Deadwood. Also to Newcastle, Wyoming. Sleeping cars to Deadwood.

Waters' Waist Beer is the best. John A. Robly sole agent. 4-5-1

## ELECTROCUTED!

### THE QUARTET OF MURDERERS AT SING SING KILLED.

#### HOURS OF TERRIBLE SUSPENSE.

#### How The Men Passed Their Last Morning on Earth—All Religious But the Jap—The Final Test Made.

By National Press Association.

SING SING, July 7.—James J. Slocum, Joseph Wood, Harris A. Smiler and Schi hok Jugiro were killed by electricity, in conformity with the legal decree, in the execution chamber at the State's prison this morning, in expiation of the crimes they had committed.

Slocum was the first of the condemned murderers to be put to death. He was electrocuted at 4:42.

The second victim was Smiler, Wood the third and Jugiro the last. At 5:15 the executioner

was in a small closet with an open top, through which he could hear anything said to him by the warden or any of his assistants, and the electricians were in the execution chamber itself.

### The Witnesses.

The following is a correct list of those who witnessed the awful scene: Dr. Carlos F. McDonald, chairman of the State Commission on Lunacy; Prof. L. H. Landy, of Columbia College; Dr. A. D. Rockwell, therapeutic expert, Buffalo; Dr. Franklin Townsend, Albany; Dr. Southwick, the Buffalo dentist, who first agitated and has persistently advocated electrical execution; Dr. C. E. Daniels, who superintended the autopsy on

Kemmler's body; Deputy Attorney-General Hogan, of Albany; Dr. Hiram Barber, physician to Sing Sing prison; E. F. Davis, electrical expert; Charles S. Durston, of Auburn; Father John B. Creden, Father Hogan, Father Lynch, Rev. Mr. Law; Chaplain W. S. Edgerton, Parson Clerk Brown, of Albany, and Warden Brown.

### The Situation at 3 a. m.

SING SING, N. Y., July 7.—The four doomed men in the big State prison momentarily expect to be led to the electric chair.

There may be just a thread of a chance for Wood, because of the desperate efforts of his lawyer. But for the three others, Jugiro, Slocum and Smiler, there seems now to be no future, except that beyond the quicklime grave.

### Testing the Dynamo.

A final test of the dynamo and de-athening apparatus was made this morning by Electrician Davis and Capt. Hil-

bert, who reported to the warden that all was in readiness.

The warden danced around in a lively manner and amused himself by nursing the secret of the hour of the execution. Even Head Keeper Chas. H. H. who never in his 13 years of experience saw such nonsense compressed into one day, was not permitted to share the tremendous secret. It was a great case of monopoly.

### Delicacies for Breakfast.

After each man had washed himself in a bucket of cold spring water, breakfast was ordered. Warden Brown said word to the prisoners that they were at liberty

to order any food they might want for breakfast.

"I wish I could have some cool water-melon," said Wood, probably with the instinct born in his colored heart.

"I should like some lobster," said Jugiro, who does not eat meat, but is extravagantly fond of fish of all sorts.

Smiler and Slocum said that they were utterly indifferent as to what they had.

So the prisoners were served with beef-steak, coffee, milk, lobster, boiled eggs and toast and coffee. All the men ate heartily and seemed to enjoy their meal.

### Prayers in the Cells.

Fathers Creden and Lynch repaired to the cells of the condemned men shortly after daybreak and immediately commenced offering religious consolation. Wood and Slocum were devout in their prayers. When the priest spoke to Slocum a deep drawn sigh escaped his lips.

### The Order of the Killing.

Up to a day or two ago the warden had the order of execution arranged as follows: Jugiro, Wood, Smiler, Slocum. But when Jugiro had shown a disposition

### THE CHAIR.

to be ugly the order was Slocum, Smiler, Wood and Jugiro. Had there been a stay in the case of Wood another change had been necessary. But Wood, Smiler, and Slocum, as expected, went to the chair, as a reverend gentleman expressed during the evening, "Like contented men to a good breakfast."

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## THE LISTENER.

### DRIFTINGS CAUGHT BY THOSE WITH OPEN EARS.

#### WHAT PEOPLE THINK AND SAY.

#### The Listener's Notes of Current Comment Interestingly Collected—Readable and Pithy Paragraphs.

O. P. Hart, who is now living in Nescopee, Luzerne county, in his day was the greatest horse dealer in Shenandoah and the surrounding country. Once he went to Maine and bought an extra good horse for his offer, \$400. The farmer was one of the niggardly kind, and he said:

"How are you going to lead the horse away?"

"With that halter which is on him, to be sure," said Hart, counting the money out for the horse.

"No, sir," said the farmer, "the halter isn't go with the horse, it belongs to me. I did not sell you that."

"What, not let me have a halter after I have given your price for the horse? What do you want for it?"

"A dollar, sir," said the farmer.

"All right," said Hart, "here is the dollar. I will take the halter, but I guess I will not take the horse."

He then took off the halter and let the horse go loose.

While speaking of rare coins at the Ferguson House the other night Charles Schuster, the hotel clerk said: "One day a few years ago I thought I was out just \$20. A guest handed me a \$20 gold piece. When I examined the piece I found in the place where the word 'liberty' appears was 'Keillogg & Co.' and on the reverse side where 'United States' ought to be was 'San Francisco, Cal.'"

"I naturally concluded that the coin was an advertising piece, but as it appeared so like gold went to a banker, and from him I learned that the coin was genuine; in fact, that it was worth more than \$20."

"The banker explained that the piece was one which Keillogg & Co., of San Francisco, were authorized by the Government to coin about the year 1854. Any jeweler, he said, would pay more than its face value for it."

"I have just left the head of a firm," said a hustling advertising solicitor at the post office yesterday, "and I have a fair-sized contract bearing the firm's signature tucked in my inside pocket. How do you suppose I got it? The old gentleman undertook to spike my guns before I had my batteries fairly opened on him by agreeing to everything I said in favor of advertising and enthusiastically attributing to it much more than I would dare to claim for it. He then went on to inform me that his firm had no occasion whatever for advertising, as it was well-known from having advertised extensively in its earlier days."

"So," said I, "you think that the advertising which you did in the early days of your business is sufficient to carry you through now?"

"Undoubtedly, I do," he replied.

"Well, said I, "Will you kindly tell me the name of the candidate for Vice President on the Republican ticket, election before last?"

"He was stuck. He hesitated, stammered a little and finally replied: 'Well, no, I can't.'"

"Now," said I, "do you know of any man who was better advertised at that time?"

"It fetched him."

### A New Business.

P. J. Cleary has opened a store in the Ferguson's building, on East Centre street, and is prepared to furnish the local trade with fine leather and shoe findings and all kinds of shoemakers' supplies. His stock is a large one and well equipped to fully supply all demands of the trade. 5-15-91

Best work done at Brunnan's steam laundry. Everything white and spotless. Lace curtains a specialty. All work guaranteed.

## Don't Pay 5 Cents

For what you can get for half the money. Our Spanish Panettas at two for five are better than half the Cigars you pay five cents for. Try them. \$1.10 a box.

GRAF'S, No. 122 North Jardin Street