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EDITORIAL.

"DEMOCRATIC DOCTRINE."

NDER the above indefinite caption some newspapers calling the opinions of Samuel J. Tilden. Grover Cleveland and William J. since the Civil War, against such Hawaii and the Philippine Islands. who, having light furnished, will The chief arguments lie in the assertion that this has been a war of pitfalls which may beset their way. conquest, and that there is danger in entering into a partnership in of Independence is eloquent against taking forcible possession of the aid the farmers in their work. The islands of the sea and ruling them against the consent of the inhabitants.' The difficulty with the and avail yourselves of it. soundness of the argument is that the premises are false. We entered on no war of conquest. That was distinctly disavowed at the very outset, and the war was not prosecuted with any such spirit or aim It was simply to free a down trodden people from the tyranny and exactions of a nation which had shown itself incapable and too inhuman to a pretty good sort of paper, but hadrule and govern its island dependencies. The Cubans were in a state of turmoil under Spanish outrages, persecutions and oppressions. This state of affairs existing at our very doors was a menace to Democrats and whisky minus school our quiet national peace and prosperity. Spain has shown herself sey," old boy !- Middletown Forpowerless to either subdue the in- um surgents or afford them a stable The Democrats are yet cultivat government. We undertook for ing the snakes and whisky, but forhumanity's sake to pacify the exist. ing conditions, and, in loss than tifully less in the County, while the four months have accomplished Press is urging the introduction of what Spain for many years had school books and their number is been unable to do. Suppose that it rapidly increasing, which partially was proposed even to give the ballot accounts for the rapidly diminishing to the inhabitants of our new pos. Democratic majority in the County. sessions, can it be said that they are We thank the Forum and cordially less fitted for the ballot than were shake .-- ED. Pauss. the negroes of the South or a large number of foreigners upon whom the right of suffrage is annually conferred. Our Federal Government is elastic and in spite of the oft- Pa., slipped and fell, distocating his repeated predictions made by the English and others who took a pessimistic view of our institutions, it has not only survived but grown stronger and more coherent. After the Revolutionary War Great Britain believed that we were not and never could be united, and that wo would break in pieces and be ab-1gi

sorbed by European States. When the war of secession came and succooling States declared themselves out of the Union, the unbelievers in the stability of free government believed our hour had come and it was announced by the British minister at Washington that the "Great Re-

public is no more, and that all that is now needed is a tombstone in the graveyard of nations to indicate the day of its birth and the day of its death. The war with Spain has welded anew the bonds between the North and the South and we omerge from the brief conflict with a new One square (eight lines), one insertion 41.00 Each subsequent insertion 500 Reduced rates will be furnished on ap-plication, will be allowed yearly advertions. The North and the South have fought on the same field under one flag, and their sons have mingled their blood on foreign shores in a

common cause. Our country is stronger to-day than over before 3.90 and her feet are more firmly planted on the rock of the brotherhood Sheriff's sales, Orphans' court sales, anny Treasurer's sales, County state ant and election proclamation charged Information in the immortal words of Information of In-reasonded: dependence finds new growth and meaning in the nation's heart. If the Democrats desire to plant themselves on the doctrine of non exthey will find no answering response among the people. We are a great nation and have overcome in the past difficulties which seemed insurmountable, and this, too, when we were alone, and opposed by the nations of Europe. Now that our strength on sea and land has compelled admiration, respect and even fear in the whole world, there can be no question as to whether this Republic will live. The whole aspect is changed and it will be no longer asked who will be friendly with us, but, with whom will we be friends. We are imperialists in the sense of retaining and giving to the islands over which our flag now floats a secure, stable and enlight-

FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

izing aims and impulses.

THE Department of Agriculture has designated Tuesday, Nov. 29, as the day for holding the Farmers' Institute at Dingman's Ferry and Wednesday, Nov. 30, at Milford. The attendance last year was not large, though able and interesting valuable information imparted. It is to be hoped that those who may be sent here this year will be greet ed by good audiences. The State pays out large sums of money annually for the expenses of speakers.

and farmers and others should take every advantage of the opportun-ities presented for gaining additionthemselves Democratic are quoting al light on the problem of how to of his church upon the charge of being make the farm pay. If they do not, the money so expended for that whisky ought not to flow free as Bryan, whom they call the three most noted leaders of Democracy none so deaf as those who, having who are asked to leave their party will ars, will not hear to their advan- he ex enterprises as the annexation of tage, or so little to be pitied as those lined in Mr. Wanamaker's speech who, having light furnished, will not take the pains to look at the lect sathering of 35 people to whom he The State maintains an experimental farm where many theories, too self government with inferior or mixed races. 'That the Declaration made, all of which go to benefit and experience is all theirs simply for the listening or asking. Come out

THE COMBINE SOUGHT TO BE MADE.

All the Anti-Republican Forces Trying to Make a Dicker With Each Other.

The Democratic Harmony Committee and Mr. Wanamaker's Mugwump Organization Meet on the Same Day in Philadelphia-Mr. Wanamaker Gets Off the Same Old Sour Grapes Speech and the Democrata Have One of Thele Same Old Flehts. How the State Treats the Local Taxpayer.

Philadelphia, Aug, 30,-"If Donnelly says there ever was more than two policemen at any polling place in my ward he is a liar," should ex-Magis-trate Jeter J. Hughes, the leader of the Delehunty Democracy, at the harmony meeting here last week. Whersupon Magistrate Donnelly, of

"If I had you outside I would punch your face.'

The meeting of which this was a characteristic incident, and the meet-ing on the same day of Mr. Wanamapansion of territory or non reten-tion of our lately acquired islands, with the announcement of an attempt to make a truck-and-dicker deal be-tween the two representative bodies, with Dr. Swallow between as the tongue of the wagon, made the last week a Democratic one, so far as news is concerned. For whatever is anti-Re publican, by whatever name it is call-ed temporarily, is Democratic, since it is the Democratic party which will profit in the state and nation by every vote cast against Republican candidates.

Moreover, there is no longer any con cealment of the terms of the bargain that is sought to be made, nor of the stake which each party to the com-bine is expected to throw into the pot The Democrats have already, at the Altoona convention, turned their backs on the national principles upon which they fought the last campaign. True, they did not do so without consulting the national leaders of their party, for happen to know that in response an inquiry from Colonel Guffey, as to how far they could go without being cast out of the foid, National Chairened government, with Christianman Jones gave him full liberty to adopt or denounce any doctrine as might seem to him good, adding plain-

might seem to him good, adding plain-tively that he didn't see "the chance for Democratic success was very good anywhere this fail fall anyhow." Nor would they be, in-the face of the mag-nificent Republican administration which the people are to yote their opin-ion of in November, but that the dis-cordant efforts of a few disappointed Republicans, who think their member-ship in the millionaires' club ought to ship in the millionaires' club ought to not large, though able and interesting make them the dictators of the party speakers were present, and much and of a serviceable lot of others who are always willing to shout for any-body who will pan out for "the legiti-mate expenses of the campaign," are enough to give interest to the situation and challenge every local Republican to do his duty. Doctor Swallow, for his share, has

already cast into the pot the distinctive principles of the Prohibition party, and is too busy abusing and maligning

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abuse of Republican administration of state affairs, but alleged nothing spe-cific, and only repeated in general and more picturesque terms the old and discredited charges for which Dr. Swallow, when he put them in definite form, was criminally convicted in the Dauphin county court. It set up a ghost of dishonesty in state affairs, and then scared at it, although not one dollar has been lost or stolen from the state treasury by mismanugement or dis-honesty in all the years of Republican administration, and it cried out against alleged extravagance and oppressive of Republican administration of

alleged extravagance and oppressive taxation under which the people are groaning, although not a man in all the groaning, although not a man in all the state of Pennsylvania, except he has money at interest, pays a special li-cense for conducting a particular bus-iness, or is a stockholder in a bank. a railroad company, or some like corpor-ation, pays one cent of tax toward the support of the state government, di-recity or indirectly. If anyone will take the frouble to look at the official records he will see that there is only one county in the state, that of Phila-delphia, which does not get directly back from the state in mapropriations for local purposes, and which go to lighten the burden of local taxation, thousands of dollars more than it pays in, running in some of the poorer

pays in, running in some of the poorer counties as high as eight times as much. There are only two counties, Philadelphia and Allegheny, which do not get back more money for common school purposes alone than all that their citizens pay in. The individual citizen in Pennayivania, under the leg-islation which the Republican party has made, pays nothing as an individ-

ual toward the support of the state government. The corporation taxes and the special taxes and the license fees The special faces and the besides foot upon particular classes of business foot the entire bill, and amount to over \$3,000,000 besides, which is divided among the counties to lighten the bur-

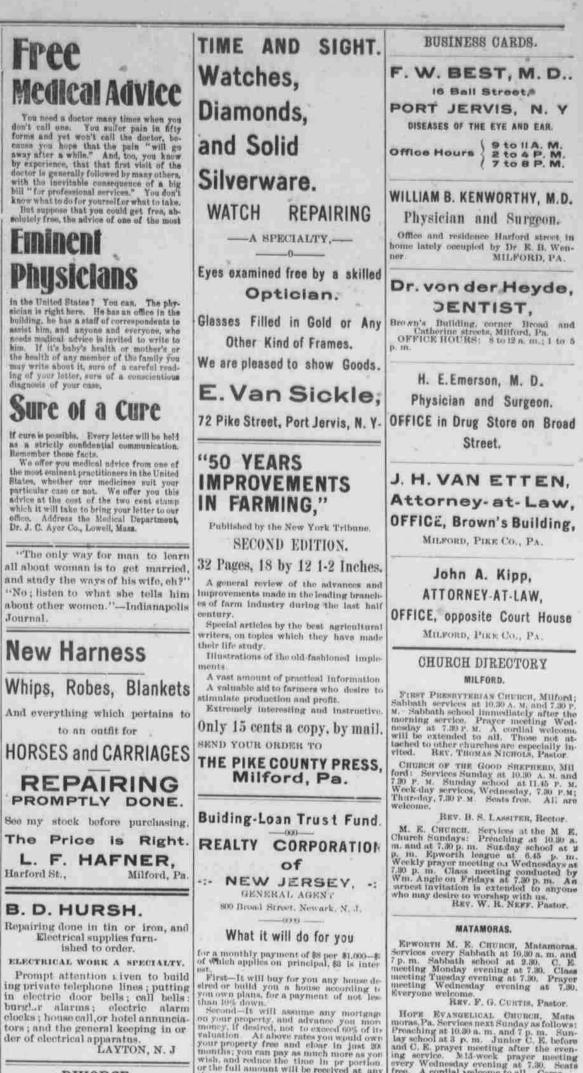
among the counties to lighten the bur-dens of local taxation. This is the sort of a Republican rec-ord which anybody has to go up against who undertakes to make anti-Republi-can fight on state issues. The truth is that the state of Pennsylvania is not the oppressor of its citizens, but their benefactor, and nobody is "groaning" under anything worse than an unsatunder anything worse than an unsat-isfied ambition to hold office, or some-thing he has eaten that doesn't agree with him There are a good many pe Mith and There are a good many peo-ple, you know, who mistake their in-active liver for an active conscience. Mr. Wanamaker's speech was bril-lantity composed, however, and as a plece of vituperative English reflects credit on the man who wrote it. "But that?" as Mr. English wrote it. "But

that," as Mr. Kipling would say another sto GEORGE H. WELSHONS.

Corg. pread in the South.

The way corn bread is prepared in the South places it among the dainties to a man who loves good things, and if people do not grow fat and large on it the reason is not forthcoming. breakfast, besides the biscuits, there is set near the head of the family a plate upholding a thin square of egg bread, with a crust as brown as oysters fried in the French market at New Orleans. At noon there is nothing that goes se well with turnip greens and jowl, and later with beans and well-done cabbage, as the corn pone-brittle of crust and with a crumb that melts in the mouth. For the evening meal-It's supper and not dinner in the country one's mouth is set to watering as soon as he approaches the table by a stack of steaming and buttered corn batter cakes. Why abouldn't one grow robust where such things tempt in abundance? The old "cullud gemmen" was but showing a fine appreciation when he enthusiastically exclaimed: "Yeh, dey's many things ter make a pusson feel happy an' 'tented ober

yondah in Canaan, but ef I can dess alles have some er de brown corn bread Lucindy cooks w'en I crosses de Jurdon dat will be good ernuff foh me!



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WE SHAKE.

The Port Jervis Gazette calls editor Van Etten of the Pike County Parss "Chas. A. Dana Van Etten. We knew "Hicks" was getting out n't caught on to the distinguished n't caught on to the distinguished rivalry which the Sun is encounter-ing up in the land which, according to the late lumented Horace Greener to the late lamented Horace Greeley once blossomed with rattlesnakes, books. Here's our "fisht," "Hick-

tunately all three are growing beau

While playing croquet with a party of ladies last Thursday, C. A. Decker, station agent at Kimbles, right shoulder.

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which was received with enthusiasm almost read it. They are expected to see the Democrats and go them one further; to cast behind them not only their na-tional but their state principles; to her. every force which in the past has shown itself hostile to their party or the principles it represents, to the sole end of overthrowing the present lead-ership of their party, under which it has won the grandest and greatest victories in all its victorious history.

That's all, and with the frankness of a tail that has determined to wag the dog, or wag itself off a-trying, they brandish the declaration in advance that the men they hope to elect to the legislature under the guise of Republi-cans will all be included to advance ac-

cans will all be pledged in advance not to go into the Republican caucus; in other words, not to abide the judgment of the party majority on any party

Whom they will vote for for governor and the other state positions, and for congressmen-at-large, and for con-gressmen in the various districts, they separate dickering in various districts, according to circumstances. Well, it may be possible to make people forget all about the war and the tremendo questions which it leaves yet to be settled; forget that there is such a

action, torget that there is such a thing as Democracy and Republican-ism, and turn a campaign whose issues are as important as any in 39 years upon the mere question of how many pasters and folders the legislature should simploy, and what it should pay them per day, but the success of the whome is once to doubt as closed

scheme is open to doubt as clearly as its motives are open to suspicion. It is said that "Heil hath no demon It is said that 'Hell hath no demon like a woman scorned," but she is good company alongside of a disappointed office-sceker, whose wrath would com-mand the sun and the moon to stand mand the wan and the moon to stand still until his vengeance was satisfied. Garcia, taking his hungry Cuban ar-my to the hills in a pet because Shaf-ter wouldn't jet him run the town, doesn't compare with these men de-manding the heads of the Republican leaders under whose leadership they leaders under whose leadership they were fairly, squarely and completely

were fairly, squarely and completely defeated by the party in their aspira-tions for office. It is more like a de-mand from Spain that Dewey and Schley shall be not promoted, but diamisaed from their commands. Mr. Wanamaker's speech at his lit-les gathering, as a matter of fact, was disappointing, although it was much admired by the city papers, which get from four to six columns of good ad-vertising from him every day. It was beliliant and vigorous, but it was the brillianty of the will-o-the-wisp, and the unprofitable vigor of a kicking mula. It was full of vituporative

Do You Know f.

der of electrical apparatus.

DIVORCE.

LAYTON, N. J.

A Japanese bride gives her wedding presents to her parents as some slight ecompense for their trouble in rearing

In modern naval conflicts opposing vessels seldom come within two miles of each other until the vanquished ves-

sel strikes her colors. Any Spanlard over the age of 19 is liable to be called into military servics for three years. By the payment of 1500 pesetas (\$300), he can escape military duty.

The best houses in the city of Manila are of stone and are handsome residences. Glass is not used for the windows, which are glazed with transulent oyster shells.

From youth to far beyond middle age Humbolt seldom slept more than two hours a day. From the time he was 70 until his death, at the age of 90, he slept four hours a day.

A meterolc stone weighing four tons fell on a warehouse in Flume, Austria, and set it on fire. The stone crashed through the house and was found buried in the cellar.

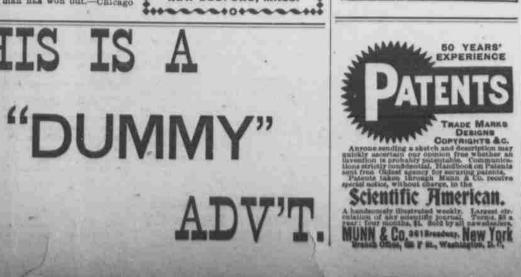
Didn't Think She Was So Old.

"Ah, yes," said Mrs. Hambus, "war is dreadful. How well I remember the gloomy days we had whenever our brave soldiers lost a battle during the rebellion. Why, it was as if every family had been personally affileted.

"I'm surprised to hear you say that," exclaimed Willie Wimbledon. didn't suppose you were old enough to remember anything about the civil war."

Up to that time Willie's attention to Geraldine Hambus had not been loaked mon with favor by her mother, but the young man has won out .-- Chicago News.





moras, P.a. Sorvices next Sunday as follows: Proaching at 10.30 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sun-lay school at 3 p. m. Junior C. E. befora and C. E. prayer meeting after the even-ing service. Mid-week prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7.30. Seats free. A cordial velcome to all. Come. a be received at any REV . A. WIEGAND, Pastor The first proposition enables you to con vert your rent money into the ownership of a home.

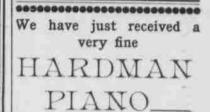
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MILFORD LODER, NO. 344, F. & A. M.: Lodge meets W = lacsdays on or before Full Moon at the sawidill House, Milford, Pa. N. Emery, Jr. Secretary, Milford, Godfreid Wieland, W. M., Milford, Pa.

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