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WILLIAM A. STONE,
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JOSEPH D. BROOKS,
of Delaware.
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of Milford.

COLONEL STONE'S PLATFORM

It will be my purpose when elected to so conduct myself as to win the respect and good will of those who have opposed me as well as those who have given me their support. I shall be governor of the whole people of the state. Abuses have undoubtedly grown up in the Legislature which are neither the fault of one party nor the other, but rather the growth of custom. Unnecessary investigations have been authorized by committees, resulting in unnecessary expense to the State. It will be my care and purpose to correct those and other evils in so far as I have the power. It will be my purpose while Governor of Pennsylvania, as it has been my purpose in the public positions that I have held, with God's help, to discharge my whole duty. The people are greater than the parties to which they belong. I am only jealous of their favor. I shall only attempt to win their approval and my experience has taught me that that can best be done by an honest, modest, daily discharge of public duty.

EDITORIAL.

THE TAILING GAME.

YOUNG people sometimes indulge in an amusing game, which consists in outlining on muslin, or paper, a profile of a donkey, which is pinned up against a wall; then each in turn is led to the center of the room, blindfolded, given a small piece of paper in which is a pin, turned two or three times, and then let loose with instructions to pin the tail on the donkey where the tail ought to be. Under the circumstances it is rarely placed on the proper part of the animal's anatomy. They had pretty much the same kind of game down in Mauch Chunk last week, and came about as near locating the tail in its proper place as the children usually do. It happened this way: Three Js. playing politics took a number of young folks down to the city on the Lehigh with a switch-back attachment, and turned them loose in a room to attach a Congressional nomination tail to one of the Js. The youths promptly went for the one who had before sported that kind of an appendage, but he, recalling a sudden tenderness at the spot, by reason of its having been ruthlessly twisted off two years ago by a provident friend who feared its too reckless swishing might jeopardize the comfort of the orphans of this county, suddenly humped himself and they missed him by several yards. The next J., though heartsore and anxious for the fly protector, thought inasmuch as the summer was nearly ended, he could manage to exist a little longer without the extra adornment, and quickly amputated himself from the opportunity. The third and last J. surnamed by the Gazette Lousi of Tansford was the only thing in sight, willing to be tailed, and so the boys put it on him. How long he will wear the pesky thing, or what he will do with it, remains to be seen. There is a certain barber down that way who may shave it up and leave nothing but an unsightly and attenuated elongation of vertebra by the ides of November. However, the youths have had their sport, and practice may make perfect.

"AUDACIOUSNESS."

IN A late issue of the Gazette the Milford correspondent remarks as follows: "The Commissioner's sale of lands was held at the Court House, Sept. 21. There were purchased for the Commonwealth 3,478 acres, which, with their previous purchase at the Treasurer's sale, will relieve an immense quantity of land from the production of taxes and place an additional burden on the resident taxpayers, already taxed beyond endurance. The effects of the "Forestry Law" will be ruinous on the wooded counties where the State is buying up the lands and in some of the townships in our county where so much of the wild land has been and will continue to be, bought by the State, it is difficult to see how the little remaining lands, held by the resident owner, can possibly bear the burden of taxation that will be necessary to meet the ordinary expenses for county, school, road and poor purposes. For Pike County it is a vicious law." Now, I. Sickles, if the Forestry bill is a "vicious law," will you kindly explain to those in Pike who "need more of the services of Hon. F. A. Kessler and as Democratic brethern insist on making his nomination unanimous," just where the necessity lies? You say we "ought to know that he has done all that could reasonably be expected of a member of the hopeless minority." Did he act with the minority in the passage of the bill? The Legislative Record records, page 480, that he voted for the bill on its final passage. He is therefore, according to "Piko," guilty of aiding in vicious legislation. This is Democratic testimony. Do the Democrats desire more of such services, and dare you say so? Do you dare take the evidence of a life-long Democrat, printed in a Democratic paper, for the guidance of Democrats, and still assert that Hon. F. A. Kessler deserves re-election at the hands of Pike County Democrats? Mr. Sickles, you opened the discussion, now be manly enough to give a straight-forward answer to this proposition. The people are waiting for your explanation.

THE Monroe Democrats say that if Lauer has no more back-bone than the candidate regularly nominated two years ago, and declines after having accepted the nomination, they will put a man on the ticket by nomination papers who will stick. Will he be the "always-going" Joseph as the Philadelphia Press dubs him?

JUDGE Kirkpatrick made an able representative in Congress. He was a credit to the district and state. Compare him with his democratic predecessors from this district and mark the contrast in his favor. Is there any reason whatever why you should not vote him.

COME now Ike Sickles drop the rod for a moment grab the pen and give Piko a few jabs for saying that the Forestry bill which Mr. Kessler supported is "vicious Legislation." But dare he do it!

IT LOOKS as though the Democrats of the Eighth District were seeking harmony very much like Mark Twain's Buck Fanshaw. He would have it even though he had to use a big club to produce the effect.

THE Republican ticket is now complete. See that no name on it misses your vote.

MAKE IT AN OPEN FIGHT.

In the last Presidential campaign, the Democratic party, seeing before it complete defeat, on its tariff record, sought to avoid the inevitable by giving the place of prominence to the silver question. No device, however, could save the party whose elevation to the control of the government had brought destruction to American industries and suffering to American homes; no devices could save the party which had saddled on the country the infamous Wilson-Gorman bill. The people knew it for the same old Free-Trade party whose success at elections had always been followed by disaster to the American people; and it was buried out of sight by the avalanche of votes cast for McKinley and Protection.

In view of the attempt of the Democratic party, in 1896, to blind the people to the fact that the question of Protection or Free-Trade was at an issue between the parties, it is interesting to note that Hon L. K. McKinney, the contestant in the First Maine District for Speaker Reed's seat in Congress, made the Tariff the sole issue of his recent campaign. If this is any indication of the policy to be pursued by other Democratic candidates for Congress, in other States, the friends of protection have no need to worry. It is always easier to fight in the open and with the issue drawn squarely between Protection and Free-Trade, or between Protection and that elusive, chameleon-like "Tariff Reform," there is no doubt of the outcome. The country wants no more Free-Trade and no more "Tariff Reform" of the Cleveland-Wilson-Gorman type.—Economist.

NEWS NOTES.

The Navy Department has recently placed orders for forgings for naval rifles of calibre from 4 to 12 inch to supply the new battleships and in a short time the navy yard factory will begin to turn out ordnance embodying radical changes in gun construction, and much more powerful than guns of the same calibre now afloat on our ships. The new 12-inch guns will be as effective as the present 13-inch gun in range and striking force. This is achieved at the expense of weight, but the difference is still in favor of the new design. The new gun will send its projectile at the enormous velocity of 3000 feet per second, which is about 50 per cent. greater than the velocity of the present 13-inch shell.

Mrs. Ella Wilson, a wealthy lady, was shot and instantly killed at her home, 837 Union St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 21, by a rejected suitor, Henry O'Neill, who was a Coney Island railroad man. He then ended his own life by putting a ball through his temple.

The other evening a man was rushing through the streets of London hurrying to an appointment when a swell passed in front of him who held his umbrella at a dangerous angle. The hasty pedestrian pulled the umbrella away from the swell and then, stepping around to him, said in suavest tone: "Oh, by the way, hero's your umbrella. I found it in my eye.

She—"Do you love me as much as you did when we were married?"
He—'More."
Strangest of all, he only told the truth. On that happy day she owned only a 300-acre farm. Now it is in building lots.—Cincinatti Enquirer.

Something new, a spring tooth harrow with wheels. Syracuss plows and "Planet, Jr.," cultivatore at W. & G. Mitchell's.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,
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SOAP AS DISINFECTANT.

The use of soap containing a disinfectant of some kind has become so general that observations on the practical value of such combinations cannot fail to be of interest. Dr. Reithoffer has recently published the results of some experiments carried out by him with various kinds of soap, having for object to determine their value as microbicides. He used the ordinary mottled soap, white almond soap perfumed with nitrobenzine, and hard potash soap. He found that these soaps were very inimical to the cholera microbe, a one per cent. solution killing them in a short space of time, while a five per cent. solution of the potash soap killed them in five minutes. We are, therefore, at liberty to infer that, as in washing the hands the soap solution is never less than five, and may go as high as 45 per cent., this method of disinfecting the hands as well as the clothes, etc., is fairly trustworthy. Much stronger solutions are required, however, to destroy the bacilli of typhoid, the coli-bacillus, etc, not less than ten per cent. being sufficient. None of the soaps experimented with appeared to have any effect on the pyogenic microbe. The practical result of these investigations is that it is always preferable to use soap and water first of all, rinsing the hands in the disinfectant solution afterward. This is an important point which merits to be generally made known.—Medical Press.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

—OF—

Valuable Real Estate and Personal Property.

The undersigned will sell at Public Sale on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1898,

at 2 o'clock P. M., at the late home of John Wandel, deceased, in Westfall township, Pike County, on the hill one mile back of Matamoras, a fine farm of forty acres, and 110 perches. The farm is splendidly located, both for farming and as a country residence for boarding city boarders. There is a good dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings. The view from the farm is one of the grandest in the State.

Also at the same time the following personal property: Lot Household Goods, three cows, hay fork, feather bed, two old wagons, a wind mill, plow, wheelbarrow, and other articles.

Terms for personal property, cash; for real estate, 10% down; balance in 3 months, when deed will be given.

FRED W. WANDEL,
Sept. 21, '98. Executor, etc.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

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By virtue of an alias writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Pike County, to me directed, I will expose to public sale by vendue or outcry, at the Sheriff's Office in the Borough of Milford on

Friday, October 14, A. D. 1898.

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the following real estate, viz: All those certain lots or parcels of land situated in the Township of Lackawaxen, in the County of Pike and State of Pennsylvania, the first tract surveyed on a warrant granted to Lewis Wolf, containing three hundred and eighty-seven acres and fifteen perches, more or less, and numbered on the Commissioners' books, sixty-four. The second tract, all that parcel of land immediately adjoining the above, being part of a larger tract surveyed on a warrant granted to Thomas Martin. Beginning at a certain corner of said Martin and said Lewis Wolf tracts, which corner is north 15 degrees east 149 rods distance from the northwesterly line of the Mehala Hattin tract, thence north 15 degrees east 148 rods to the Delaware River; thence along the said lands to lands of R. F. Lord and the said Lewis Wolfe tract to the place of beginning, containing fifty acres, more or less, excepting thereout the right of way conveyed to the New York and Erie Railroad Company, two acres sold to the Catholic Church, lot 50X100 sold to John Smith, lot 100 feet square sold to John W. Greening, lot 100 feet square sold to Patrick Harrington, about eleven acres sold to A. Sawyer, about 10 acres sold to A. Ramback, about 3 acres sold to W. Henderson, about ¼ acre sold to Ed. Eawart, about ½ acre sold to Herman Kanaper, about ½ acre sold to M. Shields, about ¼ acre sold to M. Tague, about ¼ acres sold to Susan DeWitt, about ¼ acre sold to Thomas Finan, about ½ acre sold to M. Amstalden, about ½ acre sold to Patrick Devlin, about ¾ acre sold to Henry Asher lot 80X100 sold by L. B. Dimmick to John Smith, about 4 acres sold to George Cron, about 2 acres sold to John Hill, about 2 acres sold to W. H. Holbert, also lot 132X200 sold to Sarah E. Williamson, also about ½ acre for schoolhouse, also lot 75X100 sold to S. V. King, lot 80X100 sold to E. Van Benscoten. All the above land being the same premises conveyed by Edward Buck and wife to John Doerr, deed recorded in Deed Book No. 46, page 118.

Improvements.

A large hotel building, six dwelling houses, store house, large barn and shed, shed dancing pavillion. About 10 acres of improved land, balance wood and timber land, also stone quarries; property situated at Lackawaxen, near Erie depot, and is a good hotel stand.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Doerr and will be sold by me for cash.

H. I. COURTRIGHT,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Milford, Pa.,
Sept. 19, 1898.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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Friday, October 14. A. D. 1898,

at 2 P. M., all that certain town lot of land situated in the village of Matamoras, township of Westfall, in the County of Pike and State of Pennsylvania, known and designated on Wehinger's addition to said village, as lot number eighteen (18) being and fronting on the southerly side of Washington street, said lot being fifty feet in front and one hundred feet in depth, being the same lot inter alia which Frederick Wehinger and wife by deed dated 26th October, 1892, recorded in deed book 48, page 553, sold and conveyed to Joseph M. Back and then sold by Joseph M. Back to Henry Van Horn, as recorded in deed book 50, page 617.

Improvements.

A good frame dwelling and outbuildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Henry Van Horn, and will be sold by me for cash.

H. I. COURTRIGHT,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Milford, Pa.,
Sept. 21, 1898.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

The following accounts have been filed in the Register's Office, and the same will be presented to the Orphans' Court for Confirmation and Allowance on the

SEVENTEENTH DAY OF OCTOBER NEXT:

Estate of Isaac Bartow, deceased. Account of Jennie Boucher, Administratrix.
Estate of Stephen Cuddeback, deceased. Account of Margaret A. Cuddeback, Executrix.
Estate of John B. Van Auken, deceased. Account of Geo B. VanAuken, Administrator.
Estate of Benjamin C. VanAuken, deceased. Final account of John M. Van Akin, one of the Executors.
Estate of Frank Mueller, deceased. Account of Christiana Mueller, Administratrix.
Estate of Charles T. Morrison, deceased. Account of Elvin Morrison, Administrator.

JOHN C. WESTBROOK,
Register's Office. Register.
Milford, Sept 17, '98.-3w

Widows' Appraisement.

The following appraisements set apart for the widows have been filed with the Clerk of the Orphans' Court and will be presented to the Court for approval on the

17th DAY OF OCTOBER NEXT.

Estate of Sylvester Sheridan, deceased. Palmyra. Appraisement of Personal Property set apart to widow, $330.
Estate of Joseph Smith, deceased. Westfall. Appraisement of personal property set apart to Widow, $330.
Estate of Vanderbilt Allen, deceased, Milford Borough. Appraisement of personal property set apart to widow, $158.
Estate of Henry Peifer, deceased, Lackawaxen. Appraisement of personal property set apart to widow, $207.

JOHN C. WESTBROOK,
Milford, Sept 17, '98.-3w Clerk.

DIVORCE.

MARY HOUSEMAN
vs.
CHRISTIAN HOUSMEAN

In the Common Pleas of Pike Co., No 3, Dec. Term, Subpoena and alias. Subpoena returned, defendant not found, etc.

TO CHRISTIAN HOUSEMAN, defendant: You are hereby notified to be and appear at our Court of Common Pleas to be held at Milford on the third Monday of October next, it being the return day of next term of Court, and answer the complaint of the libellant filed in the above case.

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