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County Ticket.

For Representative, WILLIAM ANGLE, of Milford.

For Jury Commissioner, W. T. STRUBLE, of Milford.

The only piece of national legislation for which the Democratic party has been responsible, ever since the election of Abraham Lincoln, is the Wilson-Gorman tariff bill, a measure despised by its authors, hated by its sponsors, and which wrought ruin to thousands of those who tried to be its friends.

The Democrats are to have their great justification this year on the Fourth of July in place of putting it off until the lites of November.

Democratic sympathy for the Boers is largely made up of a desire to put the Administration in an embarrassing position with other powers.

If Aguinaldo were wise he would send half a dozen delegates to the Kansas City convention, not to vote, but to take up a sympathy collection.

The New York World is not distributing free leaves of bread this year, as it did in 1894. The people can afford to buy their own bread now. Yet the World continues to rail at the McKinley Administration because it is a part of its stock-in-trade.

What's the matter with having four years more of the Advance Agent of Prosperity?

Hogs sold in Nebraska at \$2.85 per cwt. in 1896. This year they have sold at \$1.95. Yet farmers there are to be asked to vote for a Democratic President and a Democratic Congress again so as to get back to the old \$2.85 price.

Platte County, Neb., mortgage indebtedness was reduced by over \$30,000 during April, and no deeds in foreclosure were filed.

The statement has been going the rounds of the press that "Bryan has retired to his farm." This is all done for effect, and to make farmers believe he is one of themselves. As a matter of fact, Bryan's farm has but recently been purchased out of the proceeds acquired from his gas belt. He is green at the plow.

New York bankers have loaned France \$15,000,000, and would be pleased to do a little more accommodating in that particular line. There must be prosperity when our bankers are compelled to go away from home in order to find people to loan their money to.

The Boer envoys will not make the mistake of assuming that Mr. Suler is the Government of the United States.

The Democratic politician will not mind the prolongation of the war

in South Africa as long as he thinks he can utilize it to party advantage by misrepresenting the real attitude of the President in the matter.

Tammany will probably be permitted to furnish the ice for the Kansas City convention.

The railroads of the United States the world's greatest commercial arteries, are expanding in touch with public sentiment. These great organizations do not respond to false alarms.

American woolen goods are beginning to reach the markets of the world, under a tariff that protects the farmers' wool clip. Last year we exported over a million dollars' worth of American wools, and our imports of wools were a mere trifle compared with those under the Wilson law.

Supplying our colonies with eggs is one of the benefits to farmers of the expansion policy. Last year we exported 3,700,000 dozen eggs, as compared with only 151,000 dozen in 1895. Lay on, O'Hen!

Gen. A. J. Warner, president of the bimetallic league says: "There is sufficient reason for not making silver coinage the chief issue in this campaign." This is true. More gold has been mined since Bryan's defeat, in 1896, than was mined in the first half of the century just ending.

Democrats in Alabama and Texas favor expansion. The foreign vessels sailing from the ports of the United States for Europe during last year carried 98.70 per cent of the exports of the United States.

A Democratic candidate for the Presidency one time remarked that the tariff was a local question, and a good many Democratic managers now feel that silver is also a local affair.

The cheering prospect of another big harvest is gail and wormwood to Democratic issues.

Another year of prosperity will make the advocates of free silver as scarce as buffaloes in Kansas.

The Democrats are more interested in finding a question that will serve their purpose during the campaign than in advancing any positive policy of government. With them it is "anything to get there."

The Democratic party has twice been tried and twice been found wanting by the present generation of voters of the country. It should hardly hope to be trusted again.

Teachers' Examination.

Examinations for 1900 will be held as follows: Dingman, Union, June 4. Shohola, Shohola, June 6. Lackawaxen, Lackawaxen, June 8. Delaware, Dingman's Academy, June 11.

Lehman, Meadow Brook, June 12. Westfall, Matamoras, June 18. Milford, High School, June 23. Blooming Grove, No. 1 (Westbrook's), June 26.

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TIPPING.

It Seems to Be Legal as Well as General in Germany.

The question of giving gratuities to waiters and servants is as much a vexed one in this country as it is on your side of the Channel. In your man servant or maid expects in Germany a "tip" from your guests after they have dined or lunched with you, and it constantly happens that on engaging a servant you are asked: "How about tips? Can I expect much from this source, and may I keep all I get, or have I to share the tips with other servants?" I have even known mistresses to hold out as an inducement to servants the fact that they entertain good dishes, whereby the wages are considerably supplemented by gratuities from guests.

One very curious feature about German every-day life is the readiness of people to give a "trinket" the equivalent of the French "pourboire," under which name the donation is more familiar to English ears. The feature is curious, because the Teuton is by nature thrifty, and many of them are more close than thrifty. And yet the same person who will expect a hard-working teacher of languages to give lessons at from sixpence to one shilling an hour will often be seen to bestow a groschen on the shop servant who has brought a parcel to his house or halfpenny on the tramway conductor for handing him his penny ticket. The postal officials who pay the money orders and bring the money to your house are entitled to charge a halfpenny for doing so, but look very sour if you do not add another halfpenny of your accord. Small "tips" all around are de rigueur in German daily life.

It is always understood that the porter and the boots at a hotel may expect a gratuity from the guests. Now, the porter does little more for you than hand you your key and take off his hat to you as you enter and leave your hotel, and in small towns he summons the boots at your departure by ringing his bell, and for these amenities he is rewarded in a sort of geometrical progression. The boots really does rough services. He blacks your boots and brushes your clothes and is ready to assist you to pack, and sits on your portmanteau for you if need be when you want to lock it. Notwithstanding this it often happens that he comes off second or third best in the way of rewards.

It has, however, always been supposed that the luggage assigned to him was voluntary one. This idea has now, according to the decision of a court at Chemnitz, in Saxony, been shown, at the expense of a certain commercial traveler who recently visited that town, to have been a fiction. The man in question remained at Chemnitz for four weeks at a local hotel, performing his mercantile duties, and on leaving handed to the hotel for the usual service rendered by that functionary the sum of four shillings as a gratuity. The boots demanded twelve shillings, that is to say, at the rate of three shillings a week. As the higher sum was not paid he brought an action against the traveler, and the court declared that the latter was to pay ten shillings. The reasons for the judgment were that although the boots received board and lodging from the landlord, he was paid nothing in cash; on the other hand, he had to give remuneration in money out of his own pocket to two assistants who helped him to do the work.—London Post.

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Application for Charter. In the Court of Common Pleas of Pike County. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to Hon. Geo. S. Parry, Prothonotary and Law Judge of said county, on the thirtieth day of June, A. D. 1900, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at his chambers in Honesdale, Pa., under the corporation act of April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, by William Edwards, Eliza N. Pierson, Wilson Lacey, Edward G. Stauffer and Franklin C. Taylor for a charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Blooming Grove Baptist Church." The character and object whereof is the worship of Almighty God according to the constitution, canon, discipline, faith, government and forms of the Baptist Church in the United States of America, and for this purpose to have and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act and the supplements. The proposed charter is now on file in the Prothonotary's office at Milford. FRANK P. KIMBLE, Solicitor. June 8, 1900.

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