

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

TERMS.—Prothonotary, \$10; Sheriff, \$8; County Commissioner, \$5; Auditor, \$3; Jury Commissioner, \$2; State Delegate, \$5. Announcements and tickets must be paid for when ordered.

PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce CALVIN M. ARNER, of Tionesta, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce JOHN R. OSGOOD, of Tionesta, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. ROBERTSON, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to Republican usages.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce J. H. BUTLER, of Tionesta, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce A. W. STROOP, of Tionesta township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. F. GRIFFIN, of Howe township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

We are authorized to announce HARRY MAZE, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to Republican usages.

THE contest between Hon. W. A. Andrews and Wilbur Higby over a seat in the legislature, was decided in the former's favor by a vote of 117 to 77, last Wednesday, after a spirited debate. Mr. Higby was voted his salary for the session, with other allowances sufficient to cover incidental expenses.

GOVERNOR PATTISON has approved the bill introduced by Representative Koukel, amending the pharmacy law so as to compel all persons intending to engage in the practice of pharmacy to be first examined by the State pharmaceutical board. Heretofore physicians were allowed to practice pharmacy without having passed an examination.

THE Republican canvass for the nomination for State Treasurer has been considerably disturbed by the vacancy to be filled on the Supreme Court Bench. The well-supported movement to nominate a candidate for Judge from this city—most likely Judge Fell, as it now looks—has opened the prospects of those in the western part of the State who would like to become candidates for Treasurer. There has been a good deal more talk of Speaker Thompson for this nomination than there was previous to the resignation of Judge Paxson. If the movement to nominate a Philadelphia candidate for Judge should succeed, it is quite certain that the candidate for Treasurer will be taken from the West, and the leading name from that section, if not the only one so far suggested, is that of Speaker Thompson.—Phila. Press.

THE bill providing for free textbooks for the public schools passed second reading in the House at Harrisburg last Thursday. The debate preceding the vote was long and lively. Mr. Farr, author of the bill, said in his speech that Philadelphia furnishes books free, with all necessary supplies, at 87 cts. a year per pupil, including night and kindergarten schools; that the cost in Lancaster is 45 cts. and in West Chester 47 cts., the saving in all these cases being at least \$1 per pupil. A number of the speakers attacked the Book Trust lobby, declaring it the most persistent and pestering one known to the Legislature. The bill is now in a fair way to become a law, and should be pushed through with the utmost speed. The legislator who has the breezy affrontry to longer saddle the people with this iniquitous text book robbery by voting against this measure, should be as effectually retired politically as though he were buried under six feet of solid earth.

ALBERT G. BROWN, of Mississippi, Circuit Judge, three times in Congress, three times a Senator, twice Governor, Brigadier General of Militia, and Captain in the Confederate army, just before his death wrote the following to a young friend: "True, as you say, I had many offences. Indeed, I may say that I never knew defeat in any of my aspirations. And it is just because I had success which people called wonderful that I feel confident to administer a word of caution to the men of this generation. My young friend, do not be deceived by the glitter of office. I am now past my three-score years, and am fast traveling into the ten. I have held almost every office in the gift of the people, and I can truly say with the preacher: 'It is all vanity and vexation of spirit.' Looking back over a long and I hope not unsuccessful life, I can say with a clear conscience my greatest regret is that I have ever made a political speech or held an office. There is a fascination in office which beguiles man but he assured, my young friend, it is the

fascination of a serpent or, to change the figure, it is the ignis fatuus which coaxes you to inevitable ruin. I speak of that which I know. If my young friends will be governed by my advice, I have this to say, after all my successes as a public man, now, when my head is blossoming for the grave, I feel that it would have been better for me if I had followed the occupation of my father and been a farmer."

THE Secretary of Internal Affairs at Harrisburg, T. J. Stewart, has prepared some interesting statistics regarding the accidents that have occurred on the different railroads of the State during the last year. There were 42 passengers reported killed and 658 injured, being one killed out of every 3,337,871 carried, and one injured out of every 213,055 carried. Of employes, 495 were killed and 6,833 injured, and of other persons 952 were killed and 1,329 injured, a total of 1,489 killed and 8,820 injured. The report states that "Although the railway service in nearly every direction is and has been improved, it seems that the liability to accident among the employes is increasing, probably owing to the increased volume of business." The report of the Pennsylvania railroad shows 18 passengers killed and 374 injured, 178 employes killed and 3,061 injured; other persons, 354 killed and 560 injured, a total of 520 killed and 3,995 injured.

REFERRING to the passage in the closing hours of Congress of the bill providing that every Representative and delegate may employ a private secretary at \$100 a month, the New York Tribune observes that it opens a way into the public service and a great career into which the ambitious youth of the country will no doubt flock in large numbers. To be private secretary to a member of Congress is not in itself a very great thing, though a higher ambition than that which is sometimes observed to animate a college student to be chief clerk to a large bridle dog. But it introduces a young man to great opportunities, particularly if he has a taste for political life, has carried a torch in a procession and can write his name without running his tongue out. It is that sort of young man whom the country invites into its service at the expense \$100 a month, or an aggregate of \$333,300 per annum, in the expectation that he will make the most of his opportunities, learn to lean both elbows on a bar and talk politics with fluency and energy and eventually become himself a member of Congress with a private secretary of his own.

The Gates Wide Open.

THE State Department has been officially notified from Hamburg that immigration to this country which was suspended on January 1st in accordance with the order of President Harrison, has been resumed. There was little time lost. Evidently foreigners count on the complacency of the new Democratic government and believe that Cleveland will allow an immigration which, at this season of the year especially, threatens to infect the country with cholera germs. Possibly foreigners and steamship companies are right in counting upon Democratic countenance for such proceedings. Certainly a Democratic Congress was guilty of the most culpable and disgraceful negligence when it failed to pass laws restricting immigration for the ensuing year and establishing safe quarantine ports.

There is no parallel to be found in our history as a country for such stupendous folly. Every one acknowledges the great and imminent danger threatening the country this spring. The situation was grave enough in view of the fact that all nationalities would be assembled here at the great exposition. That of itself was bad enough, but with first or second cabin passengers the danger could be reduced to a minimum. Now, however, when the flood gates of migration are again opened and the hordes of ignorant, illiterate and uncleanly foreigners are allowed to pour into the United States, the danger becomes more than a menacing evil. It becomes an immediate and serious one.

Will the authorities jeopardize their own safety and the safety of their families because they lack stamina enough to meet the present emergency with boldness? The American people are in thorough earnest. They demand a cessation of immigration for the ensuing year at least. If any politician, through cowardly motives of policy, refuses to heed the voice of this nation he will have bitter cause to repent it. Congress adjourned without acting on the subject of immigration except in a very lame way that does not restrict at all. Now let Cleveland show that he is made of sterner stuff and that he has the courageous boldness which prompted Harrison to meet the trouble in the one and only efficacious way possible. There should not be a day's delay.

Harrison's Record. Free coiners baffled. Opening of Oklahoma. Subsidies to steamships. Pan-American Congress. National quarantine law. Chili brought to her knees. Restriction of immigration. International copyright law. Italy's impudence rebuked. Civil-service Rules extended. Policy of retaliation adopted. Steps taken to annex Hawaii. McKinley law and prosperity. Louisiana lottery knocked out. Reciprocity treaties negotiated. The quarantine against cholera. Progress in rebuilding the Navy. A vastly improved postal service. Extradition treaty with England. Raid of gold speculators defeated. The Iman line becomes American. International monetary conference. International arbitration established. Survey of an intercontinental railway. England cornered on the seal question. Canada disciplined by the President. World's Fair sanctioned and promoted. Great bond purchase to prevent a panic. Samoan treaty dictated at Washington. New markets opened to American pork.—Cincinnati Times

Cleveland Scared. Grover has taken the alarm. It was given out semi-officially on Saturday from the White House that an editor need expect any appointment from this administration, and having sent out this flat Grover leaped back to enjoy the sensation he felt sure he would create among the men who had worn out their pens and pencils and exhausted their grey matter in his behalf during the last campaign. He created a sensation, but rather different from what he expected. Instead of the editors turning tail and running, they have stood their ground and served notice on Mr. Cleveland that two can play at that game, and if he refuses to recognize them, they will refuse to recognize him, and he will thus be deprived of very material support which he had relied upon to help him in his administration.

As a consequence, Grover has taken the alarm, and has caused to be sent out from the White House a statement that he never said he would refuse to recognize the claims of editors for office. Mr. Cleveland is backing and filling. He was fast gaining a reputation for stability of purpose for the reason that nobody could fight him, and that gave him a sort of false courage that caused him to reiterate his peculiar views on certain matters. But here comes a united Democratic press which serves notice on Mr. Cleveland that he will be whacked whenever the opportunity presents, and he must not squeal, for the editors will owe him nothing and will be free to do as they please.

How quick he hauls in his horns and surrenders when he is threatened with a trouncing. The Democratic editors can take courage. They will get offices along with the other faithful. Grover is afraid of them, and he has knuckled. Great is the power of the press.—Harrisburg Telegraph

The strongest recommendation that any article can have is the endorsement of the mothers of the town. When the mothers recommend it you may know that that article has more than ordinary merit. Here is what the Centerville, South Dakota, Citizen says editorially of an article sold in their town: "From personal experience we can say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has broken up bad colds for our children. We are acquainted with many mothers in Centerville who would not be without it in the house for a good many times its cost, and are recommending it every day." 50-cent bottles for sale by Siggins & Nason.

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