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ADVERTISING RATES

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Attend the primaries Friday.

Ripley Fair will be held August 21st to 24th.

However, there can be no serious objection to Admiral Dewey sailing into Bryanism.

How the Democratic editors nurse a labor disagreement in the hopes of making a strike of it.

The Southern section of Bryanism is now experiencing an unpleasant attack of 10-cent cotton.

Kentucky continues to hold its place as the headquarters for "government without the consent of the governed."

There is one thing quite certain. The Americans voters will not go to the polls with empty stomachs this year.

When American ships carry American products to all parts of the world the calamity orator will be an audienceless individual.

In preparing his speeches for this year, Mr. Bryan will have to exercise rare care to avoid collisions with his predictions of 1896.

With McKinley and Bryan as presidential candidates, President McKinley was figured as a five to one chance in New York.

An increase of \$50,000,000 in the bank note circulation is already in sight as a result of the enactment of the new currency law.

Even the redbirds seem to have caught on to the patriotic boom, at least they are heard on every hand: Dewey! Dewey! Dewey!

Last year sixty-two new silk mills were started in the United States. Skilled American labor needs only the opportunity to show its superiority.

The North Carolina Democrats have foisted a Goebel law upon that State. Yet it is the Democratic editor who yawns incessantly about force bills.

The Democratic Brooklyn Eagle serves notice on the Kansas City convention that it will decline to follow the party into the paths of Populism.

The demands for American coal in European countries is steadily increasing. American coal should be shipped abroad in American bottoms.

A ready-made candidate and a ready-made platform will greet the Kansas City delegates. The only thing in doubt is the completion of the convention hall.

The burning of the magnificent convention hall at Kansas City was a public misfortune. Nobody wished such ill-luck to the party that makes a specialty of calamity.

The Hon. George Fred Williams says he is glad the Democratic party has been relieved of the old barnacles. The Hon. George Fred is a firm believer in new barnacles.

The Hon. Arthur Pue Gorman announces that he will not attend the Kansas City convention. The gentleman from Maryland possesses the ability to scent a political calamity.

Democratic sympathy for the people of Porto Rico, like Democratic sympathy for the Boers, is stimulated largely by Democratic eagerness to place Mr. Bryan in the White House.

American manufacturers are sweeping everything before them in Siberia. When we have established a great commercial mart at Manila, our expansion in the Orient will be unparalleled.

The establishment of new cotton mills in the South still continues, despite the discouraging words of politicians in that section whose personal welfare depends upon commercial depression.

New York's legislature has adjourned. Its session was entirely free from scandal and it decreased the State tax rate. Incidentally it may be remarked that it was Republican in both branches.

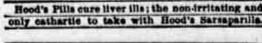
The Cincinnati Enquirer of last Sunday had opinions from "Tom Dick and Harry" as to the proper time for holding the Democratic State Convention. So it seems that Johnnie McLean is not going to take much interest as to the time of holding the State Convention in 1900.

The delegation from Highland county should be composed of men who are representative Republicans and whose loyalty to the party cannot be questioned. They should be the best men in the party. This is a Presidential year and every effort to give a large majority for President McKinley should be made. The State ticket will have a large influence on the National ticket. It is therefore imperative that good, clean men are nominated for the State offices. Good representative Republicans will aid in selecting a good ticket. See that good men are nominated at your primary and you have done your part.

"Strike For Your Altars and Your Fires."

Patriotism is always commendable, but in every breast there should be not only the desire to be a good citizen, but to be strong, able bodied and well fitted for the battle of life. To do this, pure blood is absolutely necessary, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one specific which cleanses the blood thoroughly. It acts equally well for both sexes and all ages.

Humor—"When I need a blood purifier I take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cured my humor and is excellent as a nerve tonic." Josie Eaton, Stafford Springs, Ct.



Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

Highland County Will Present the Name of Judge Cyrus Newby.

At the Republican convention for the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Ohio which will be held at Greenfield on Wednesday June 6th, the name of Judge Cyrus Newby of this city will be presented. The delegates to this convention will be selected at the primaries to be held Friday of this week. The high standing of Judge Newby in the Republican party and as a citizen and as a lawyer should entitle him to a solid delegation from this county. On the Common Pleas bench Judge Newby has given universal satisfaction. His rulings have been fair and impartial and his nine years service has given him a reputation second to no Common Pleas Judge in the State. In cases over which he has presided very few appeals have been taken and almost invariably the Circuit Court sustained his rulings. No higher tribute can be paid to his ability as a Presiding Judge than the almost entire absence of Circuit Court cases in this county for years. A man better qualified for this position is not a member of the bar in this circuit and in supporting Judge Newby the Republicans are honoring merit and displaying wisdom.

Lincoln, the home of Colonel Bryan, elected the Republican municipal ticket the other day by the largest majority it has returned in years. The Colonel has a good-sized bunch of enemy's country right at home.

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild. Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwell, Valley Street, Saugerties, N. Y.

Obituary.

One by one God calls us home. One more of our dear friends has answered the summons and gone to join the blood-washed throne on the other shore. Isaac Otis Roads, son of Daniel and Mary Roads, was born March 8th, 1886, and departed this life April 4th, 1900, aged 14 years and 27 days. He was suddenly hurled into eternity on the night of April 2d as he was driving from Buford to his home at 11 o'clock at night. He was driving the fleet-footed Arthur horse, which he often rode and drove, and when within a quarter of a mile of his home his horse became frightened at some one passing and ran away. In making a turn off the main road opposite the Reedy school house the rig was turned over throwing him against the fence, mashing his skull, which paralyzed him, from which he never rallied. He was taken to his home where he died April 4th at 2 p. m. He leaves a father, mother, four sisters and one brother, Henry, who lives near Sinking Springs, and a host of sympathizing friends to mourn their loss. He was loved by all of his school mates. The funeral services were conducted by Elder John Crawford, of Martinsville, at the Christian Church at Buford, where he faithfully attended Sunday school. He was carried by six young men, four of whom were his school-mates, his teacher and one of his Sunday school-mates to the silent tomb in the beautiful cemetery at Buford, to await the second coming of Jesus Christ, our Savior.

To his home he shall return no more; He has entered the open door, Heaven's golden gateway up'n high, Where the soul shall never die.

The Lord is his light by day and by night, He dwells in a house upon God's right; He is looking down with pitying eye, Saying father and mother do not cry.

One thing have I desired of the Lord, That yet may all live in sweet accord, So that when your life's journey is o'er, You'll meet with me to part no more.

Obituary.

Elsie Maud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roads, departed this life Friday evening, April 6th, after an illness of only a few days. She was born near Buford, Ohio, September 20th, 1898. Maud was the joy of the family and a beautiful sweet bright child and the blessed Christ gathered home one of earth's fairest flowers to bloom in the brighter and happier world above. Kind and loving hands did all that could be done to alleviate her pains, but all in vain. The funeral services were conducted at the M. E. Church after which the remains were laid to rest in the beautiful little cemetery at Buford. She leaves a father, mother, brothers and sisters and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

SYSTEM OF REWARDS

Secretary Long Devises Method of Recognizing Gallantry.

Three Classes of Medals and Increased Pay—Will Prevent Injustice Being Done to Officers Not Winning Medals.

Secretary Long has devised a method by which naval officers and men of the service may be rewarded for gallantry without the absurd and unjust effect of punishing other officers who have rendered creditable but not conspicuous service. The officers who were advanced at the expense of a number of officers who did not deserve the overhauling. Some of the injured officers, moreover, had rendered gallant service at Santiago, and the inconsistency of the system of award was made doubly apparent.

Some time ago Senator Mason introduced a resolution which provided for medals for officers and men who served in the war with Spain. The terms of the resolution did not meet with departmental favor on account of its general provisions, and in its place Secretary Long has now submitted a bill which limits the bestowal of bronze medals to certain officers and men, the recipients of which shall receive an increase of pay while in the service.

The idea is to provide for three classes of medals. One class will stand for especially distinguished services, and will be known as an honor medal. It will be given out on the order of the president, whose action will be controlled by the finding of a board of naval officers, who will examine records and reports and announce a list of officers and men whose unusual performance of duty entitles them to marked honor.

The second class of medals will be known as the distinguished service medal, and the third will be called the courage medal, the two latter medals to be bestowed by the secretary of the navy.

The medals will be of bronze and the recipients will be entitled to an increase in pay of 15 per cent. In the case of officers above the grade of commander. Other officers will receive an increase of ten per cent. The enlisted men and noncommissioned officers will receive an increase of five per cent.

Additional commissions for medal giving will be met by giving a bar in each case, the bar to represent further increase of pay. This proposition finds favor in the service.

HIGH EXPLOSIVES.

Both the War and Navy Departments Giving Special Attention to the Matter.

Much attention is being paid by both the war and navy departments to the question of high explosives for use in both the military and naval service.

The war department, it is understood, has received a proposition from the inventor of thorite announcing his willingness to sell to the government the right to manufacture the explosive for \$150,000. Senator Proctor has introduced a bill in the senate appropriating \$500,000 for the purchase of the right. The ordinance bureau is opposed to the purchase, however, on the ground that a superior explosive may be obtained.

Rear Admiral O'Neil, chief of the bureau of ordinance of the navy department, has not yet determined to adopt any high explosive. Thorite has given highly satisfactory results, but some apprehension is felt that the ammonia may corrode metals. To settle this point, Lieut. Strauss, in charge of the Indian Head proving grounds, under instructions from Admiral O'Neil has placed the explosive near several metals.

LONG TRIP IN BABY CAB.

Pennsylvania Child Wheeled to Omaha Along the Railroad Tracks by His Parents.

Philip Miller and his wife have arrived at Omaha, Neb., having made the entire distance of 1,400 miles on foot from Stroudsburg, Pa., pushing a baby carriage containing their infant child before them.

Miller had become discouraged by continued ill luck in the Pennsylvania coal district, and, having scarcely any funds, he and his wife packed their few personal effects in two grips and determined to walk across the continent. They set out from Stroudsburg, along the Delaware, Lackawanna & Pennsylvania tracks, and followed the line of railroads all the way, the woman wheeling the carriage over the ties, while the man trudged on behind with the grips.

They inquired their way from station to station, obtained their food by working for people along their path and slept in section-houses. Father, mother and babe are in excellent health.

Race Meeting at Venetia.

Venetia, where the only horses are the bronze ones in front of St. Mark's, is to have a race meeting this year. The idea was started as a joke, but the Venetians took it up enthusiastically, and \$8,000 was collected for prizes in a few days. A committee, headed by the mayor, Count Grimani, has the matter in hand, and has laid out a racetrack on the Campo di Marte, the old drill ground, near the railroad station. It will be the first horse race Venetia has ever seen.

There Are Others.

Well, declares the Chicago Record, Mrs. Dewey is not the only woman who would like to be mistress of the white house.

He—Will you be mine? She—Hardly that, Henry. Why can't we arrange it so each of us will be ours?

Irate Citizen—I am going to kill you, sir, for calling me a liar. Western Editor (calmly)—That won't change my opinion at all.

There is a marked tendency in Austria toward the formation of industries competing in the same line of products.

SOME MINE FIGURES.

Study of Statistics of Disasters Shows That Pennsylvania Has Best Mining Law in the United States.

The annual report of James Roderick, chief of the state bureau of mines and mining, contains a chapter dealing with mine accidents and their causes. In the 30 years from 1870 to 1899, the report states, 9,575 lives were lost in and about the anthracite coal mines of Pennsylvania. In commenting upon the fatalities Chief Roderick says: "It is generally conceded that the anthracite law of this state is the best mining law in the world. Therefore, in my opinion, the great loss of life is not due to any defect in the law; neither is it the fault of the mine inspectors, who are an intelligent and hard-working body of men. Possibly neglect can be traced to some colliery management, but the greatest neglect is on the part of the employe. I claim that the mine law has been the means of greatly reducing the number of accidents in the anthracite mines, and I will endeavor to prove this by figures.

"In the first decade, 1870-1879, for every 1,000 persons employed, a percentage of 3.839 persons lost their lives; in the second decade, 1880-89, for every 1,000 persons employed, 3.210 persons lost their lives; while in the third decade, 1890-99, for every 1,000 persons employed, 2.140 lost their lives. The total production of coal in the ten years, including 1870-9, was 185,924,840 tons. The total number of lives lost was 2,131.

"The total production from 1890-9, inclusive, was 337,059,789 tons; number of lives lost, 3,119.

In 1890-9, inclusive, 470,242,510 tons were produced at a loss of life of 4,905."

MANY ILLEGALLY MARRIED.

The New License Law in South Dakota Leads to Embarrassing Complications.

Because of an apparently innocent newspaper item, the matrimonial affairs of a large number of newly wedded South Dakota couples have been badly mixed. To straighten out matters many couples have been remarried. Others are to-day unaware of the fact that the ceremonies which were supposed to have tied them together for life are, in fact, illegal.

This unfortunate condition is due, as stated, to the publication by many of the South Dakota newspapers of an item to the effect that under the new marriage-license law couples who obtained licenses in one county could proceed to another county and be married there.

The desire of many couples contemplating matrimony to conceal their approaching marriages from their friends and other residents of their immediate localities contributed to complicate the situation, as many of them quietly obtained their licenses in one county and proceeded to another county, where they were not so well known, for the purpose of having the ceremony performed.

A short time ago, however, it was discovered that licenses obtained in one county were void in other counties, and then there was consternation in the ranks of the newly married.

WHIPS EDITOR, BAND PLAYS

Mount Kisco Women's Attack Earns Her a Serenade and Possibly a Banquet.

Frank Dromgoole, editor of the Mount Kisco (N. Y.) Recorder, was lashed by Mrs. Annie Feinise in the main street of that town the other day and at night the Mount Kisco band serenaded her. Many citizens of the town declare their intention of giving a banquet in her honor.

Mrs. Feinise is close to six feet in height and she weighs 220 pounds. Mr. Feinise is not a large man and it was to punish Editor Dromgoole for writing unkind things about her husband that Mrs. Feinise used the horsewhip.

Mr. Feinise is a boot and shoe dealer in Mount Kisco. Moreover, he is first foreman of the local fire company.

"Inasmuch as Mr. Feinise was the first and only person who smelled the fire it would seem a wise move to appoint him chief smeller of the fire department, with a salary attached, so that he could smell fires before other people could see them."

That was the paragraph in the Mount Kisco Recorder's account of a fire which made Mrs. Keinise take the warpath.

RARE VOLUMES STOLEN.

Valuable Books Taken Systematically from the Congressional Library.

Rare and valuable books of reference have been stolen from the congressional library at Washington. The thieves are evidently book connoisseurs, as they have taken nothing but books of great value that are difficult to replace. Thursday it was discovered that two volumes of a rare law publication were missing. Friday, although all employes had been warned, a "reader" was admitted to the alcove in which the books were kept. He succeeded in stealing two more and left by a stairway which is used only by employes. The watchmen at all doors were notified, but the thief managed to get out of the building with the books.

Get the Name All In.

The Chicago Tribune thinks that everybody naturally expects a new book from the pen of Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett Townsend.

Advice for Cuba.

Cuba is requested by the Washington Star not to accept Kentucky as a model in all respects when learning to hold elections.

A Horrible Outbreak

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head," writes C. D. Iebill of Morganton, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples, Sores, Ulcers and Piles. Only 25c at W. R. Smith & Co's.

Should you need anything in glassware, queens-ware or stationery, call on Stabler Bros. and get their prices before buying.

You Will Find The Best Clothing At the Lowest Prices. If You Want To Buy Right! To Be Treated Right! To Save Money! SEE! Sam R. Free THE EXCLUSIVE CLOTHIER FREE'S CORNER, HILLSBORO, O.

BUGGIES. There is art in building houses, There is art in making bread; There is art in making money, And it takes a level head. There is art in making buggies, There is art in showing style; There is art in pleasing patrons And we do it all the while. There is art in writing stories, There is art in making love; But the art in getting married, Is all other arts above. There's no doubt that we've discover'd The art of drawing trade, By furnishing the people The best buggies ever made. Hillsboro Implement Company. (Formerly Williams & Bell.)

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT. Beauty's court remains in Millinery. With the first smiles of Spring about to appear in earnest the millinery department demonstrates its supremacy—with a showing of fashion's finest fancies that rivals every other display in town. From every nook and corner peeps forth the evidence of our careful choosing. Hundreds of Hats went out from this department last week, and we expect to send out many more at those sweeping prices that have always stamped this house as the Bargain Store of Hillsboro.

HARDWARE DEPARTMENT. A few items and prices in Hardware that will interest economical buyers: Shelf brackets, all sizes, 4c to 18c; Door bolts, 8c to 9c; Brad awls and tools, 25c; Awl handles, 5c; Hog rings, per box, 5c; Hog rings, 8c; Pinking irons, 8c; Spike shovels, 12c; Auger bits, all sizes, 8c to 20c; Slim taper files, all sizes, 3c to 6c; Horse shoe rasps, 42c; Gas or burner plyers, 25c; Wire cutting plyers, 6 inch, 10 to 20c; Pliers, 10 to 20c; Blt stock drills, 5 to 14c; Steel halter chains, 9 to 10c; Carpenter's dividers, 15 to 20c; Alligator wrenches, 2 to 3c; Haws and staples, 2 to 3c; Sewing awls, 3c; Hammock hooks, 4c; Shoe knives, 7 to 10c; Bread knives, 8 to 12c; Putty knives, 8c; Knob locks, 12c; Dead or night locks, 3c; Pad locks, 5, 6, 10, 12, 14, 16 and 20c; Butcher knives, 8 to 15c; Strap hinges, 10 to 15c; Double cut gutlets, 4c; Harness copper rivets, 8 to 13c; Bed castors, 5 to 6c set; Children's garden sets, 10 to 20c; Knives and forks per set, plain handle, 40c; Cap and bolster, per set, 62c to 75c; White handled, per set, 85c, \$1.05, \$1.25; Black handled, per set, \$1.10; Stag handled, per set, \$1.40; Rubber handled, per set, \$1.50; Knives only, plain handle, per set, 25c; Bolstered handle, per set, 40c; White handle, per set, 60c; Cap and bolster, per set, 65c; Child's knife and fork, 8c; Cupboard turns, 10c; Cupboard catches, 4c; Gate latches, 12 and 15c; Thumb latches, 5c; Door springs, 9c; Monkey wrenches, 20 to 45c; Hand saws, good, 42 to 75c; Chisels, 12 and 15c; Tacks, 24 to 42c; Gauge, 3c; Tack hammers, 3c to 8c; Large hammers, 10 to 42c; The only saw set, 58c; Block planes, 81c to \$1.25; Smoothing planes, \$1 to \$1.25; Squares, from 28 to 80c; Kitchen saws, 25c; Garden trowels, 4c; Garden weedeas, 3c; Harness hooks, 10 to 40c; Hatchets, 10 to 40c; Magic washing block, the great labor saving device, 10c.

The Racket Department Store. Coral is again in favor after its long period of disuse. The pink coral is the choicer, from its purity, but the common red is much worn. The Jewish population of London has more than doubled during the last twenty years. It is now estimated at between 100,000 and 120,000.