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OUR CANDIDATES!

FOR PRESIDENT

BENJAMIN HARRISON,

OF INDIANA.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

WHITELAW REID,

OF NEW YORK.

MANY partisan Democrats are flushed with the hope that their organs and public speakers will be able to make the people believe that the protective tariff is responsible for the recent riot at the Carnegie Steel Works. There is not a single phase of the question with which the tariff has the slightest connection. The Company has improved its machiney enabling the workmen to turn out a much greater amount of work with the same labor and as they are paid according to the number of tons produced instead of by the day, the question was simply whether the company or the workmen should be benefited by the money expended in improvements.

THE editor of the Greensborough *Free Press* had another one of his spells last week and complained because we referred to the "'kickers,' as they are called" getting up a ratification meeting on their own account After a hasty perusal of the paper we found the reason: the editor of the *Free Press* himself has become a "kicker" and refuses to allow a call for a Democratic Ratification meeting, to ratify the nomination of Cleveland, to be published in his paper except as an advertisement. Well truly brother Plummer must have'em bad this time, we alwaps supposed he was a Cleveland Democrat.

THE Chicago *Tribune* is unkind enough to collect these pre-convention expressions of Democratic leaders.

"Nominate Mr, Cleveland, and we march through a slaughter-house into an open grave."—*Henry Watterson.*

"Mr. Cleveland cannot carry one side of New York."—*Boswell P. Flower.*

"Neither Cleveland nor Hill can be elected. My preference would be some good Western man, or if it must go to New York, Flower."—*Senator Vest.*

"Cleveland will be defeated by 10,000 in Indiana."—*Isaac P. Gray.*

With such an array of authority it is not for us to dispute the conclusions.—*Baltimore American.*

THANK you brother for the compliment of being able to say "a good deal" in so few words (eleven lines) wish we could return the compliment but we can't do it, as the editor was never known to say "a good deal" in so few words. So far as that kicking" is concerned if it should occur we know we shall have the sympathy of Brother Melvin for if we mistake not he has received several political kicks in the last few years and he knows how to sympathize with a fellow after he has been politically kicked.

NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that the bourbon Democrats of the county tried to frown down and discountenance the Democratic Ratification meeting called for Tuesday last, by withdrawing the call from the head of their two leading organs and promising a huge affair sometime in the future, the instigators of the move went on with their preparations and the meeting was a success so far as the originators were concerned. Evidently the so called "kickers" had the call on the boys.

A COLLECTION was taken up at the Peoples Party Convention to defray the legitimate expenses of the campaign, where over 6,500 delegates and sympathizers were assembled and the net proceeds of the collection was $113.35. No one will pretend to deny that the new party do not intend to run their campaign on economic principles.

WE UNDERSTAND that word was sent to every district that Tuesdays meeting was not to be a Democratic meeting but a fusion meeting, yet despite the busy season the speakers had a good sized and very attentive audience. If the regulars succeed in securing as able speakers for their meeting they will be fortunate.

DIDN'T THE *Free Press* and *Journal* put both feet in it when they published that ratification meeting notice. Brother Plummer declared he was out of it and brother Melvin said "me too" and that notice is charged up at advertising rates.

WANTED—a Democratic paper in Caroline county that has stability enough about it to publish a call for a Democratic Ratification meeting without placing it in its advertising columns.

THE tradgedy which occurred near town is a xery unfortunate occurance the like of which has not taken place in the county for many years. Violent tempers given full sway was first the cause of all the troble.

THE *Journal* refused to publish the call for the Cleveland Ratification meeting in its last issue. Who are the "kickers" now? echo answers who?

THE riot at Homestead last week is the greatest labor war since 1877.

The Postoffice Department and the Saloons.

As some of the Prohibition organs together with some of their public speakers are trying to lead the public to believe that many of the Postoffices in the land are kept in beer saloons, we saw proper to write to the Postmaster-General in regard to the matter and below we give the answer to our inquiry, which fully explains the point at issue:

OFFICE OF POSTMASTER GENERAL.
WASHINGTON, D. C. July 8, '92.

"Sir:—I am in receipt, by reference from the Postmaster General, of your letter of the 5th instant, in which you inquire if any post offices are kept in beer saloons.

In reply, permit me to say, this Office is not aware of any instances in which a post office is located in a beer saloon or bar room, or in any room directly connected therewith. To so locate a post office would be in violation of section 475, Postal Laws and Regulations; and in every case in which the Department has been apprised by the patrons of any post office that the provisions of the said section were being violated by their postmasters. the proper action has been taken.

Very Respectfully,
C. A. WHITEFIED,
First Asst. P. M. Gen'l

F. C. Ramsdell, Esq., P. M.,
Denton, Md.

PHILADELPHIA, July, 11th, 1892.

Closed Saturdays at 1 P. M.

Wanamaker's.

Cotton Dress Goods prices are leaning toward you most temptingly.

It is surprising what a mere mite of money is needed to buy stuff for a Cotton Dress.

Between the 25c Yankee Ginghams at 12½c and the 75c Silk-and-cotton Ginghams at 50c is a most winsome group of kindred stuffs — all prices marked on the same basis, including the 40c Anderson Ginghams at 18c, and 50c Lace Ginghams at 25c.

Other Cottons come up as smilingly. 40 and 50c Crapes are 18c; 50 and 60c Crapes and Polka Dot Zephyrs are 37½c; 37½c French Organdies are 25c.

Cream All-wool Grenadine, fancy silk bordered, has been made doubly beautiful by a price touch—$1 from $1.75. Width 44 inches—only 6 yards for an ordinary dress pattern. The silk border makes an attractive trimming and finish to the Costume.

Summer-weight Black Dress Goods—everything that a complete stock ought to have. The Black All-wool Challis at 50c is the best we ever had at the price, and the 75c Black Henrietta at 50c is a marvel of quality and finish

Black Grenadines are quite as interesting—this plaid at 60c is the usual $1.25 kind.

Como Batiste in sheerness is only a shade short of the delicate French Organdie. The unique designs and the odd colorings give it a charming individuality as a costume stuff. 10 yards ample for a dress. 25c a yard.

Pin stripes and polka dots are in high favor. Plenty of them in the indigo-dyed Canton Cloth—12½c. Canton Cloth is making freinds as fast as it makes acquantances.

Lansdowne and Gloriosa are especially fit for the Traveling Costume. Light weight, cool and pleasant, and dirt won't cling to them. A shake—and cinders and all that are gone. They're the lovely Silk-and-wool sisters.

Lansdowne, 40 in., $1.25.
Gloriosa, 46 in., $1.25.

Those crinkly Crapes are cool-cooler because of the crinkles. Opener to the air, looser when the fit is tight, more comfortable for hot weather than almost any other stuff. And the cost is trifling—Crapes that were 45, 50 and 60c are *all at 18c now.*

Navy blue Serge is one of the best of stuffs for a mountain or seaside Dress. Two of the quickest sellers are 50 inches wide and $1 or $1.25.

A shower of remnants and short pieces follow such hurricane selling as Summer Dress Goods have been going through. Sometimes full dress lengths go into the wrecked-price lots. We don't wait to sort closely; you have the benefit of every doubt. The yard or yards that will top an old skirt, or bottom an old waist, or make a handsome dress for the school girl, may be yours for a fraction of the usual cost.

On the trip a Gravenette Ulster or Newmarket will always come handy. Showerproof. Navy blue or black. $10, $12, $14.

$1, $2.50, $3 or $3.50 will give you a wide choice for the Outing Coat.

Some of the Children's Woolen Dresses, suitable for beach or mouutain are less than half early prices.

From the New Book Table—may be one in ten. They give a notion of what the publishers have lately been doing. Watch that table and you'll *know* the whole story.

New Fiction—

Sybil Knox. Ed. E. Hale	$ .75
The man in Posession. Rita	.75
A Capillary Crime, etc. F. D. Millet.	.90
Folly and Fresh Air. Eden Phillipotts	.90
Tales of a times and Place. Grace King	.90
The Venetians. Miss Braddon	1.10
The Governor and Other Stories. Hibbard	.75
The Reflections of a Married Man. Robert Grant	.75
The Wrong That was done. F. W. Robinson	.75
The Marriage of Elinor. Mrs. Oliphant	.75
The Wrecker. Robert Louis Stevenson	.90
The Naulahka. Kipling and Balistier	1.10
Maisie Derrick. Kath. Macquoid	.75
The One Good Guest. Walford	.75
Vesty of the Basins. Mrs. Greene	.90

Miscellaneous—

The Life of Paul Revere. 2 vols.	$5.40
American Game Fishes	2.00
Electrical Dictionary. Houston	4.00
Electricity and Magnetism, 2 vols, third edition. Clerk Maxwell	7.20
The Claims of Decorative Art. Walter Crane	1.70
Studies in American Architectare. Montgomery Schuyler	1.90
The Puritan in Holland, England, and America, 2 vols. Douglas Campbell	3.75

Book News for July has a plate-paper portrait and sketch of Richard Harding Davis, the brilliant young author. All the usunl features and a variety of matters of special interest to Philadelphians. Book News is but 5c a copy, 50c a year.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

Half Rates to Washington.

For the National Meet of the League of American Wheelmen at Washington, July 18th to 20th, the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad will sell excursion tickets at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be sold July 16th to 19th, aud will be valid for return journey until July 24th. Bicycles of passengers will be carried free of charge. The Baltimore and Ohio has been designated as the official route to the Meet of the officials of the League of American Wheelmen.

HARVEST TIME IS COMING.

"Down on the Farm" live the people whose fields of golden grain are full of promise. Now for saving the crop. We are

HEAD-QUARTERS ON BINDER TWINE.

MANILLA, STANDARD, AND KENTUCKY HEMP—

Measure these Twines, with the Commoner Kinds and you will find a large saving in the end.

STEAM ENGINES AND THRESHERS

are now in Stock and we can quote you some iuducements in this line.

Don't fail to bear in mind that we have just received a large stock of

GANDY AND GUM DRIVE BELTS

for the Machine Season, also, a splendid assortment of

LEATHER and GUM BELTING

n all sizes from one inch up to ten inches. See us and save money.

Our trade on

FARM WAGONS

has been most satisfactory, and we can only add, more of our Wagons are on the road than all others combine. We have also, sold a large number of

CARRIAGES AND ROAD CARTS,

and this is because the price is within easy reach, and quality is superior.

If you want to see fine work in the Corn Field—buy a

BUCKEYE SULKY CULTIVATOR.

It may be you will need a

HAY RAKE,

we have it, and none better, When you are looking for

CARRIAGE AND WAGON HARNESS.

Call and see us. We carry possibly the largest line outside of Baltimore. We are selling large quantities of PICKET FENCE, for Poultry yards, Lawns, &c., beautiful and cheap.

THE LAWN MOWER

is now in order and they are cheap. For your fences come and see "the point" on BARB WIRE. Large assortment of ICE CREAM FREEZERS, REFRIGERATORS, HAMMOCKS and LAP DUSTERS. When you come to Easton, call and see us.

YOUR FRIENDS,

SHANNAHAN & WRIGHTSON HARDWARE CO,

EASTON, MARYLAND.

SHERIFFS' SALE
OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE

IN TUCKAHOE NECK.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Circuit Court for Caroline county and to me directed, at the suit of The Second National Bank, of Chestertown, use of John L. Rhodes against William Henry Legg, Marietta Legg, John F. Norman and John L. Rhodes, I have siezed and taken in execution and will offer at public sale at the Court House door in the town of Denton, on

Saturday, August 6th, 1892

between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock P. M., all the right title claim and interest of the said Marietta Legg, of in and to all that tract or parcel of land situate lying and being in Tuckahoe Neck, in the sixth election District of Caroline county, on the southerly side of the public road leading from Harris' Chapel to Hillsborough, and bounded on the Easterly side by the lands of John H. Horsey and on the westerly side by the lands of John R. Griffin and called and known as

"THE WILLIAM A. FORD FARM"

containing 450 ACRES MORE OR LESS being the same land whereof William A. Ford, late of Caroline county died siezed and possessed and which he devised to his son Thomas H. Ford, late of said county, deceased—the said interest of the said Maritta Legg in and to said farm being estimated as an undivided one-tweifth part thereof.

Siezed and taken in execution as the property of the said Mrrietta Legg and will be sold on the day and year aforesaid, subject to prior liens, to pay and satisfy the debt, interest, and costs due on said writ of Fiert Facias and to become due thereon.

TERMS OF SALE Cash on day of sale.

JOHN W. STEVENS,
July 14th-tds Sheriff

REOPENED!---

Having purchased the harness business of Denton, conducted in the John H. VanGesel building, known as Meridth's Harness Bazar, I have re-opened with the finest stock of

HARNESS,
WHIPS,
COLLARS
PADS,
FLY NETS.
BRUSHES,
HALTERS, &c.

in fact everything for a first class carriage outfit, with prices to suit the times.

Harness, per set $6.50 and up. Call and examine stock before purchasing.

I have a full line of Harness and axle oils, Harness carefully repaired at low prices.

WM. S. REED, Manager.

First class Job Work at this office.