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OUR CANDIDATES!

FOR PRESIDENT

BENJAMIN HARRISON,

OF INDIANA.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

WHITELAW REID,

OF NEW YORK.

FOR CONGRESS.

GEORGE M. RUSSUM.

OF CAROLINE.

CONGRESSMAN Tom Watson, of Georgia, after giving "Congressional Jags" a thorough airing has now turned his attention to the democratic party, by which he was honored with his present high position. He says of democratic economy: "They went into power abusing the Republican Congress because they expended a billion dollars. At this session of Congress, I say it and I challenge contradiction, the democrats spent in the neighborhood of $40,000,000 more than the republicans did. How is this for high? They went into office foaming at the mouth at the McKinley tariff bill. There was nothing too bad to say about McKinley. They dreamed of it at night. If they did not curse it was because profanity would not do justice to it. It was a night-mare to them. It was a calico-tailed hobgoblin. They staid there (in Washington) for eight months from first to last. Eight solid months and from first to last if there was anything which the democrats didn't attack, it was the McKinley tariff act. I will tell you what they did do though. They introduced little pop-gun tariff bills and put wool on the free list. The first fellow they hit was the farmer."

MR. RUSSUM has not returned as yet from the West, and there is very little visible stur in politics. The campaign will be formally opened in a few weeks however and he will proceed to canvass his district in his usual vigorous style.

MORELLO the winner of the Futurity race at Sheepshead Bay and with it $75,000 was sold at auction about a year ago for $100. He is the property of Col. Singerly of the Philadelphia *Record*.

CHOLERA has raged on several occasions before this in Europe and has not reached this country, therefore there seems to be no cause for serious alarm.

ROBT. J. REYNOLDS, Governor of Delaware, is making quite a reputation as a letter writer, as well as Cleveland.

STRIKERS are very expensive citizens. The Buffalo strike will cost New York state $500,000.

SULLIVAN and Corbett are attracting more attention just now than any other strikers.

THE political pot just simmers.

To Notify Candidate Russum.

Col. Thomas S. Hodson, chairman of the recent Republican congressional convention of the first district, has appointed the following committee to notify Hon. George M. Russum of his nomination as the party candidate for Congress: Philip L. Goldsborough, of Dorchester county; R. E. Erdman, of Queen Anne's, Alfred L. Thorpe, of Talbot; Chas. O. Melvin, of Worcester, and William H. Knowles, of Wicomico.

EDITORIAL LETTER.

Editors having a Picnic--The Reading R. R. Company make it Pleasant for them.

BOSTON, MASS., Aug. 29, 1892.

Our time has been so thoroughly occupied that it seems as though we have no time to write. There is so much to write about one hardly knows where to begin.

Our party consisted, when we left Philadelphia, of about eighty-six persons. The management of the Reading Central and New England and Western Railroads had placed at the disposal of the Press Association for its use, on this occasion, one Parlor car and a day coach. These cars were attached to the New England day express of these roads, which runs direct through to Boston, by the Poughkeepsie Bridge route without a change of cars and very few stops. Our party left Philadelphia at 10 a. m., sharp on Friday morning and arrived here at about 10 p. m., being a little late owing to the two extra cars of our Association.

To say that the trip from Philadelphia to this place was a grand one is putting it mildly. The Railroad officials did all in their power to make the trip a pleasant one to all of the party, and we can say that they were entirely successful.

The route to most of us was an entirely new one and the varied and picturesque scenery relieved the party of the ordinary monotony of travel. At one time we were rushing along through well cultivated and fertile fields, then we were climbing heavy grades, then swinging around sharp curves or plunging into midnight darkness in the tunnels when some lofty summit was reached. All of these we say tends to relieve the mind of the traveller, and to keep his thoughts in active play as some new scene is presented and one is constantly wondering and ever on the lookout to see what new beauties of nature will be presented by the ever changing scenery of this grand route.

For us to pretend to describe our trip in detail to this place would consume too much time and space, consequently we shall not attempted it and only give some of the more important and note-worthy incidents.

In the first place the route over the Reading road should be taken by all who love to view nature in its rustic and wild magnificence as it can be seen on few other routes. True all our other great R. R. systems in Pennsylvania have their splendid scenery, but few if any can compare with this.

Among the many special objects which should claim our attention none we think will please our readers better than a short description of the Poughkeepsie Bridge across the river at Poughkeepsie. N. Y. In order that they may have some idea of this immensely structure we give the description in detail The bridge is composed of three cantilever spans 1050 feet in length, two anchor spans 402 feet in length, west shore viaduct 1034 feet in length, east shore viaduct 2650 feet in length or total length of bridge 6768 feet. Masonry above water 30 feet, steel tower above masonry 100 feet, clear headway under truss 130 feet, clear headway under cantilever span 168 feet, base of rail to water line 212 feet, depth of water 60 feet, depth of silt and foundation 70 feet, and base of rail to foundation 342 feet. Thus our reders will see by these figures the immensity of this structure and one to have any idea of its immensity should see it.

In our next we will give descriptions of some of the noted places we have visited and the historic localities we have seen, suffice it to say we have been in seven different states since we left our home. Yours.

F. C. R.

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Maryland Dashes.

——The colored camp at Wye closed on Monday. On Sunday afternoon about 6 o'clock the camp was thrown into great excitement by the sudden death of Alfred Banks of heart failure. Banks drove a hack from Easton.

Many people, not aware of the dangers of constipation, neglect the proper remedy till the habit becomes chronic, or inflammation or stoppage results. A dose or two of Ayer's Pills in the beginning would have prevented all this.

——The law against selling on Sunday is being strictly enforced in Hagerstown. Two druggists were fined each $22.60 for selling soda water on the Sabbath. The same law is also being enforced in Cumberland. One man was fined $50.

——The canning houses of Talbot county are running on corn and tomatoes, and it is thought will make the largest pack this year ever made. The price at the factory is $10 a ton for corn and $6 a ton for tomatoes Owing to a scarcity of home labor a number of Poles were brought from Baltimore to make up the desired number of hands.

——Judge Levin T. H. Irving, aged 65, of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, died at his home in Princess Anne, on Wednesday night of last week. He was overcome by the heat two weeks ago and never recovered. In 1867 he was elected an Associate Judge on the Maryland bench, and in 1880 was elected Chief Judge of his circuit.

——Robert M. Jones, Jr., brought a tomatoes to the Centreville *Observer* office recently that was grown on his farm near Ridgely. The tomato weighed four pounds and two ounces. All of the centre was one solid tomato without a break in it and very ripe, while on the sides had grown three distinct tomatoes that were as large as tomatoes usually grown and were very green. It was quite a curiosity.

——Dr. B. W. Goldsborough returned from his trip to New York and Canada last Monday. He was absent sixteen days. Although the weather was very hot here, the Doctor tells us the temperature in Quebec was such that he was compelled to sleep under a double blanket at night. He also informed us that during the entire trip through New York he met but two persons who thought that Cleveland could carry the State, the almost universal opinion of men of both parties being that Harrison would win. Dr. Goldsborough did not, however, give us this bit of political news for publication. "But," said he, "this is what I learned by traveling with a large number of men from different parts of the State."—*Dorchester Era.*

Delaware Dashes.

—Twenty-two cows and three horses have died of the terrible enthrax at Newport, Delaware.

—The town of Milford has the honor of presenting each party with the nominee for Congress though one resides in Kent and the other in Sussex.

—Charles Rodman, a Wilmington 7-year-old, jumped into the Christiana river after his hat, which had blown overboard, and died soon after being rescued.

Piles, sore eyes, cracked lips, chapped hands, and all skin eruption is cured by Dr. Fenner's German Eye-Salve. Warranted to satisfy or money refunded. Sold by George & Redden.

—The Lewes correspondent of a late issue of *Every Evening* says: "One day last week twenty-seven steamers were in the bay fishing for menhaden. They caught millions of fish.

—James W. Kerbin, of Dover, sent carrier pigeons to Raleigh, N. C., to be liberated. The distance is 350 miles. They were turned out at 5.35 a. m., and two arrived at their loft in Dover at 5.45 p. m., the same day. The other two were a few hours later.

—It is proposed to make great alterations in the Delaware and Chesapeake canal, by making the tide lock 600 feet long, 70 feet wide with a draft of 27 feet and a top width of 131 feet. When completed it will be the largest in this country and perhaps in the world, and will float the largest sea-going vessels. The cost will be $2,300,000. Its value to commerce will be of inestimable importance, forming a direct line from New England to the Chesapeake beside saving 300 miles between Philadelphia and Baltimore.—*Farm and Home.*

—Uncle Sam is now building at Delaware City and Pea Patch Island two torpedo stations, to be completed on November 1, which are expected to be able to blow up up the biggest man-of-war that attempts to pass that point toward Philadelphia on hostile efforts bent. One of them is located on the upper end of Pea Patch Island, on which Fort Delaware stands and the other, named Fort Opposite, on the other Delaware shore, about a half mile below Delaware City. Both stations will be identical in design and almost so in size.

—Ida Hoover, the girl murderess, was given a hearing before Squire Jester Tuesday afternoon upon the instructions of Attorney-general Nicholson. She is charged with shooting James Bristol, a fisherman living near Little Creek, who afterward died from the effects of the wounds in a Philadelphia hospital. The evidence of Thomas Argo, Dr. Frank O'Day, of Little Creek, who dressed the wounds, and Dr. Williams of the Philadelphia hospital, was heard. The evidence being sufficient the girl was remanded to jail to await a trial at the coming term of court. —*Delawarean.*

Wanamaker's

PHILADELPHIA, Aug., 29th, 1892.

One of the hardest things our Dress Goods people have had to do this season has been to keep up with the call for Navy Blue Serge

All Spring and Summer everybody has been wanting them, and the demand is as great now as ever. You'll hear almost everywhere that they're scarce. So they are—in most stores. You wouldn,t mistrust it here. This is the way the list runs and plenty of each grade

38-inch fine Twilled Serge at 50c.
36-inch heavy Twilled Cheviot Serge at 50c.
36-inch Chevron Serge at 50c
38-inch Cheviot Serge at 65c
40-inch fancy Diagonal Serge at 75c.
50-inch Cheviot Serge, in medium and wide twills, at $1.
54-inch Twilled Serge at $1.25. In two styles of twills.
54-inch Extra Twilled Serge at $1.50.
50-inch fancy Striped Serge at $1.50.

The French Manufrcturer meant the Corded Dress Crepes to sell at $1 25 a yard They have sold at that, they would be selling to-day but for one of those trade turns that so often brings the best to Wanamakers at an upset price 40-inch goods, Fall weight and in fourteen of the newest colors, at 50c a yard

Wanamaker's

50c Camel's-Hair at 37½c is another centre of interest Navy blue and blackonly

The closer you examine the Women's Serge Suits at $7 the more absurdly little does the price appear Seams double silk stiched and bound with satin Skirt hem turned up instead of being faced, darts turned in and well finished $12 wouldn't be out of the way for such a suit

And the $10 Suit might well be $18 The quality of Serge and the half lining of Surah in the Coat give the extra value.

A dozen sorts of Women's Shoes at $2, $3. $4, that have been almost twice that. Tipped and plain, laced and buttoned. Kid and of the best qualities. All high cut and every size somewhere in the lot.

In the Women's Low Shoes at $2 are some that have been $3 and $4. Various kinds and colors as well as black.

Tennis and Outing Shoes that have been 90c to $7 are now 50c to $4. Men, Women, Children.

School days are close by and the boys, fresh from romping and rollicking, will very likely need Suit freshening for the study time. We are ready for them—from Kindergartners up.

All-wool Kilt Suits, 2½ to 6 years, $2.50—about half.

Single-breasted Sack Coat Suits' 6 to 15 years, at $3.50 instead of $5—Black Cheviot.

$1.25 All-wool Trousers, 4 to 14 years, 85c.

Four reminders from the Men's Clothing store.

Men's Black Diagonal Suits (Clay weave) flat binding, Sack or Cutaway Coat, at $15.
Cream Flannel Outing Coats, $4, $5, $6; Trousers, $3, $3.50, $4, $5.
White Duck Trousers, $1.25.
All-wool Trousers in neat patterns, $3, $3.50, $4, $5.

Chautauqua Books, required for the course of 1892 and 1893, are now ready.

Grecian History. By J. R. Joy.	$ .90
Callias, an Historical Romance. By A. J. Church.	.90
The United States and Foreign Powers. By W. E. Curtis.	.90
Greek Architecture and Sculpture. Smith and Bedford.	.45
Classic Greek Course in English. By W. C. Wilkinson.	.90
A Manual of Christian Evidences. By G. P. Fisher.	.45

Volumes selling at 90c, when sent by mail, are 10c extra. Volumes at 45c are 5c extra.

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He will also make sales of his property. REAL and PERSONAL

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