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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.

HAMBLETON & Co., Bankers, of Baltimore, who are known to be Democrats, with all that the word implies, in speaking of financial matters and especially of our national banking system as compared with the old State Bank law, which our Democratic friends, if we can believe what they say in their platfrom, wish to see established again, make the following pertinent remarks regarding our present Banking system.

"In our opinion, no system of State bank issue could be made universally satisfactory, as it would lack that quality—the guarantee of the Government which makes the notes of National Banks good from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from Maine to Mexico. Indeed, our National bank notes pass current abroad and in England, France or Germany an American with National bank notes in his pockets is as well supplied with currency as if he had soverigns, francs or marks. And he can exchange his American bank notes for English, French or German gold with any bankers.

Say what the opponents of the National banks may (by the way, the opponents of the National banks are chiefly disgruntled politicians and ignorant silver fanatics) the people of the United States have experienced through the National banking system the best, safest and most satisfactory system of banking that this country has ever experienced and they will never be satisfied with any system which does not contain the same advantages.

At present the advantages are all on the side of the public and the disadvantages so great on the part of the banks that, except for one thing—prestige—many of them would surrender their National bank charters and take out charters under State laws.

The advantages to the public are: A circulating medium secured by Government bonds and acceptable, we may say, the world over; depositors guaranteed by the liability of stockholders for double the amount of shares of National banks held; by a reserve fund of 25 per cent. of deposits and by Government supervision examination."

THE Democratic convention at Easton last week nominated Bratten and Brown as the opponents of Mr. Russum. Caroline's delegates are still explaining how it was they got left on the nomination. It is claimed Mr. Lewis could have secured the short term nomination but Caroline's representatives thought, as she had not been recognized in the last thirty years, she was entitled to the long term—and she got it. It will pro bably be about thirty years long.

After taking about 70 fruitless ballots the first day, the convention adjourned and during the adjournment a combination was made by the Toadvine delegates, (who saw that he could not be nominated,) with the friends of John B. Brown, of Queen Anne's, which resulted in Brown's nomination for the short term. The Caroline delegates claim they were treated badly by the Brown men who failed to inform them of the combination and they voted against Mr. Brown. Bratten was unanimously nominated on the first ballot after the deadlock was broken. Neither of these candidates had the support of the Democratic Managers. Caroline was with the ring, and barely succeeded in getting in out of the wet.

AS WILL be seen by reference to a letter in another column a joint discussion of the issues of the campaign by two of the ablest men in the two old parties on the Shore, will take place before the Democratic Club of this place on Friday evening next. A good audience should be present, if the club's speaker accepts the proposition made.

SEANTOR HILL failed to called on exPresident Cleveland while he was in New York: although he expected him and remanded in the city several days.

General Grant's Physician.

Dr. Douglass, who attended General Grant during his last illness, died in Washington on Sunday. He contracted, it is presumed, from his illustrious patient the same disease, cancer of the throat.

When called to attend General Grant, Dr. Douglass had a splendid practice as a throat specialist, but he sacrificed it in close attendance upon his patient at Mount McGregor. Subsequently the doctor's health failed, and later the cancer developed. Being debarred from practice by illness. Dr. Douglass went to Washington to reside with a daughter who holds a position under the government. He died a poor man.

'Tis Even More Than That.

The modern family newspaper must be more than a chronicler of passing events. Besides full and detailed accounts of the world's happenings, its columns must be replete with articles of a miscellaneous character of interest and merit. The family newspaper of to-day, to be a success, must produce a diversified class of matter that furnishes entertainment to all classes. All these qualifications are embodied in *Pennsylvania Grit*, that peer of illustrated newspapers, published at Williamsport Pa., and whose true merit has won for it a place among the leading journals of this country. Agents and newsboys are wanted in every village and town in the United States, not already supplied, to sell GRIT. Good agents and newsboys make from 50 cents to $5 every Saturday selling GRIT. For free sample copy and full particulars, address GRIT PUBLISHING COMPANY, Williamsport, Pa.

Maryland Dashes.

——A sloop loaded with coal from Havre de Grace sunk near Tolchester Beach recently. The sloop was bound for Cambridge.

——A cow belonging to Thomas Horney, of Winchester, gave birth recently to twin calves. They were joined together at the throat, and both died.

——The net proceeds of the recent Baltimore Fair, at Timonium, is thought will be sufficient to pay off all indebtness upon the improvements made since 1891, which cost about $4,000.

—Nothing does the work so well. —Mr. P. Byrd of New Grand, Ills., writes: "Being exposed to all sorts of weather I am more or less liable to have pains of some kind. I have tried a number of different so-called remedies, but nothing does the work so well as Salvation Oil. It is the best liniment I have ever used."

——John K. Skinner, of Centreville, has an old silver coin dated 1774, which was picked up on a hill on his farm where an old house used to stand. The house was moved away about 80 years ago, and yet the coin picked up last week was brignt and the letters plain and distinct. It is a Spanish coin. On one side are the words: Carolus III. Del Gratis 1774. On the reverse side. Hispan et Ind. Rex. 4R. F, M.

A Grand Offer.

The greatest offer ever known to Journalism in this county will be seen by reference to an advertisement in this issue headed "Presidential campaign of 1892." By this it will be seen that we have arranged with the New York Weekly *Tribune* one of the best and most widely known weeklies of the country, to furnish it and the AMERICAM UNION for the subcription price of a single paper. The only conditions being that subscription must be paid invariably in advance. All subscribers who will settle arrearages and pay one year in advance secure both papers for the price of one. New subscribers paying $1 in advance get the AMERICAN UNION and New York *Weekly Tribune* for one year.

Wanamaker's

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 3. 1892.

Maybe its the oddity of the idea, maybe its the jaunty prettiness of the style *very likely its both*, but for *some* reason the Suspender Dress is the one that just now is making most friends among the girls of 4 to 14 years.

Russian Peasant Dresses and variations of the Moujik thought are also in the front rank of favor. Besides these styles dozens more sparkling with brightness and fitness:

Dress of Wool Tricot, full skirt with bodice, cuffs and collar of velvet, handsome gimp trimmings, blue, brown, garnet, sizes 4 to 14 years, $2.75 to $5.25.

Dress of jaunty Wool Plaids, full skirt with bodice and suspenders cuffs and collar of velvet, handsomely trimmed with silk and gimp, sizes 4 to 14 years, $3 to $5.50.

Russian Peasant Dress of several shades All-wool Ladies' Cloth, trimmed with gimp and pearl buttons, sizes 4 to 14 years, $2.50 to $5.

Dress of Wool Tricot in different shades, bodice belt skirt, plaid waist, suspenders, pearl buttons, sizes 4 to 14 years, $3 to $5.50

Dress of All-wool Tricot, full skirt with bodice belt, suspenders and buckles, French sleeves, silk spots on yoke and cuffs, navy, garnet, tan, sizes 4 to 14 years, $5.75 to $9.

Russian Peasant Dress of All-wool Tricot, full skirt, Russian blouse and belt handsomely trimmed with braid. French sleeves, navy blue, cardinal, gray, sizes 4 to 14 years, $6 to $9.25.

Two-piece Dresses—14, 16, 18-year sizes—are as varied and attractive.

Made Sheets, Pillows and Bolster Cases.

After all, it's no wonder that buying Muslin by the carload and making these things by the ten thousand means money saved to the retail buyer.

Just as simple, when you think of it, that the *work* is better than home work.

Skill comes from experience *Team* work is what makes high grade shoes and clothes at low grade prices a possibility. Division of labor is one of the longest steps toward economical producing that *any* industry can take.

That is what makes such prices are these possible.

Sheets	*Pillow Cases.*
72x90 in., 82c	42x36 in., 20c
81x90 in., 87c	45x36 in., 23c
90x90 in., 92c	54x36 in., 28c

Bolster Cases, 45x72 in., 42.

A dozen other grades just as atractive—higher priced and lower priced.

There's luxury in long wide,

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fine Damask Towels. Add knotted fringe, colored border, and in many cases artistic open work at both ends and—it almost smacks of extravagance you say? Not a bit of it. You are thinking of the has been These Towels are 50c each—although some just like them were 65c here yesterday.

A 2½-yd long Double Damask Table Cloth and dozen 26-in. sq. Napkins to match—$8 for the set. *Fully 40 per cent under any like goods in New York or Philadelphia, say our Linen people.* They know. Six distinct patterns and eleven sizes at proportionate prices.

Man with set notions or young man with a burning desire to be dressed exactly right—our Merchant Tailoring store is ready for you. All the brightest, newest and fittest weaves are in great heaps. English loom work, American—anything that's best for this service or that.

Suits with Sack or Walking Coat, $25, $30, $35, $40, $50.
Coat and Vest of choice imported Worsted, $20, $22.50, $24, $26.
Trousers from fine Worsteds and Cassimeres, $6.50, $8 and $10.

Clothing men say the Clayweave Coat and Vest, with Trousers of striped Worsted, at $26.50 the Suit, is remarkably cheap.

Suits for the boys' neatest, nattiest, dress-up-time wear as well as for school days and knocking about.

We touch every side of the Boy's Suit question and touch it as only the widest experience and the completest organization makes possible.

Suppose its quality—good, honest, unpretending *quality*—that you want in the youngsters's clothes. Here are the best domestic Cassimeres made into the stylishest shapes at $5.50. A little more fancy in the weave, $6.50, $7.50, $8.50, $10, $12 for boys of 4 to 15 years,

Kilt Suits for the little shavers of 2 1-2 to 6 years start at $4.50; three-piece—navy blue Jacket and Vest with fancy plaid Skirt. Zouave Kilts and Sailor Suits also at $4.50. A special Engish Serge Sailor Kilt at $6 has silk soutache braiding, shield front collar and deep.

Heavy weight Reefer, 4 to 6-year sizes, $4.50 to $8.50. For the bigger boy, $5 to $10.

The Chautauqua Books—course of 1892-3—are ready; $4.50 for the 6 vols.

School Dictionaries—English, French, German, Shanish, Italian, Latin, Greek—large and small sizes.

Special Bargain Books.

The Century Magazine for 1891, 2 vols, $2. Uncollected Writings of Thomas DeQuincy, 2 vols., 12mo London, 85c.
The Professor at the Breakfast Table, by Oliver Wendell Holmes, 12mo, 75c.
One Hundred Days in Europe, by Oliver Wendell Holmes, 12mo, 75c.

New Editions.

Mark Twain's Prince and Pauper, 75c.
Mark Twain's Tom Sawyer, 75c.
Checkley's Natural Method of Physical Training, $1.10.

JOHN WANAMAKER.

LANE'S MEDICINE MOVES THE BOWELS EACH DAY.—In order to be healthy this is necessary.

ELECTION NOTICE

TO THE JUDGES OF ELECTION AND THE VOTERS OF CAROLINE COUNTY.

In accordance with the requirements of the Code of Public General Laws, I hereby give notice to the Judges of Election and the Voters of Caroline County, that an election will be held on

Tuesday, the 8th, day of November, 1892.

(being the first Tuesday after the first Monday of said month) at the usual places of voting in the several Election Districts of Caroline county as follows:

For the First District at Henderson:
" Second " at Greensborough;
" Third " at Denton;
" Fourth "
Precinct 1 at Harmony;
" 2 at Preston;
For the Fifth District at Federalsburg:
" Sixth " at Hillsborough.

And the election so to be held is for the purpose of electing

One person to represent the First Congressional District of Maryland for the unexpired term of the 52d Congress of the United States, *vice* Henry Page resigned.

One person to represent the First Congressional District of Maryland in the 53rd Congress of the United States.

Two Electors at Large of President and Vice-President of the United States, for the State of Maryland, and

Six Electors of President and Vice-President of United States for the Six Congressional Districts of Maryland.

The polls will be opened at 8 o'clock a. m.. and close at 6 o'clock, p. m.

☞The returning Judges are required and directed to make their return on the second day (Thursday) following the election, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Caroline County.

JOHN W. STEVENS,
Oct. 6th, '92. Sheriff of Caroline Co.

Colored School Notice.

OFFICE OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS OF CAROLINE COUNTY.
Denton. Md., Oct. 4th, 1882.

At a meeting of the School Board held to-day the following order was passed: The following schools, the average attendance of which justifies a longer school year than two terms, will open on Monday, October 23rd: Mt. Zion, Greensborough, Ridgely, Hillsborough, Denton, Marsh Creek and Federalsburg. The remaining colored schools (except Broadway which will open on the first Monday in January) will begin on Monday, November 21st.

There will be an examination for colored applicants at the Denton academy on Saturday, October 19th, to begin at 10 o'clock a. m. All applicants for schools who do not hold a teacher's certificate are required to attend this examination.

By Order
M. B. STEPHENS, Sec'y,

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P. S. The Express office will remain at my store.

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A purchaser for the stock of general merchandise of A. D. Smith. The stock is in first class order and will be sold at a bargain for cash. The store is one of the best in town and can be rented for the year 1893.

J. B. FLETCHER, Trustee.
Preston, Md., Sept. 13th, 3 t.