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Our array of chinaware comprises sets and single pieces from well known makers. As an exhibition of beautiful designs, graceful shapes and rich colorings it will prove interesting to the artistic eye, but when quality and prices are considered, herein lies their strongest recommendation.

Tea and Dinner Sets.

- A handsome 100-piece plain white semi-porcelain dinner set, a bargain for \$8, will go during this sale for..... \$ 6 50
- A handsome tea set in this pattern..... \$ 3 25
- A 100-piece Dinner Set, American print, would easily bring \$9, but we are satisfied with less for this sale, our price..... \$ 7 90
- Tea sets in this pattern..... \$ 3 90
- 100-piece Dinner Set, American filled in pattern, two styles, fancy shapes, would readily bring \$14.00, we will place them on sale this time at..... \$11 50
- Tea Sets in this pattern..... \$ 5 65

ALL

AMERICAN
GOODS
GUARANTEED
STRICTLY
FIRST
CLASS.



- 100-piece plain white English semi-porcelain, fancy shape, sold everywhere for \$10.00, our price for this sale..... \$ 8 90
- Tea set in this pattern..... \$ 4 10
- One of the best values we offer this sale is a 100 piece dinner set, English ware, two patterns, goods that are as staple as coffee and sugar, and that retail at \$15 and \$18 per set, we have this sale at..... \$13 75

We have many other handsome patterns that we haven't room to describe now, but don't forget to take a look at the handsome set in our front window.



- 1/2 pint Jelly Glasses at 20c per dozen.
- 4-piece Glass Sets, new patterns, 20c per set, and ranging up to \$2.00
- 1 water set, (1 glass pitcher 6 tumblers) 35c, and ranging upwards to \$2 per set.

We are showing a very large line of Beary Dishes, Dishes, Comports, Footed Fruit Dishes, Cake Stands, Jelly Dishes, Etc. 5 inch Footed Jelly Dish, well worth 15c, our price 10c. Each piece with a little bit of trade history to account for it. Too long tell it—enough to say that CASH is the golden bullet that beats the castle down. Price advantages the world over lean to READY MONEY.

BUYING AND SELLING FOR CASH.

Blankets and Outing Flannels.

The largest, handsomest and best line ever shown. Watch for the date of the opening. You may defer purchasing, but remember there is a difference between the full spread and the crumbs to select from. **We Have the Full Spread.** 500 pairs blankets, from the cheap cotton, full size double bed at 45c to the all wool blanket at \$8 per pair. 200 pieces outing flannel 5c to 15c per yard. In this department we are offering the regular 6c grade for 5c, the regular 8c grade for 7c, the regular 10c grades for 8c and 9c, and the regular 12c grade at 10c.

MUSLINS.

- SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES—**
Ladies, don't wear your eyes out hemstitching sheets and pillow cases. We can sell you an 81x90 hemstitched sheet, pillow cases to match if you want them.
Hemstitched sheets, each..... 65c
Pillow cases to match..... 20c
Plain hemmed sheets, full size..... 55c
Pillow cases to match..... 15c
- BLEACHED MUSLIN—**
Full yard wide bleached muslin..... 4c per yard
A good bleached muslin..... 6c
Lonsdale or Fruit of the Loom bleached muslin..... 7 1/2
Lonsdale cambric..... 10c
- UNBLEACHED MUSLIN—**
A good yard wide unbleached muslin..... 3c per yard
A good yard wide unbleached L.L. muslin..... 4 1/2
The best L.L. muslin..... 5c
Heavy unbleached muslin at 7c and..... 8c
- SHEETING AND PILLOW CASING—**
Best quality 46-inch bleached pillow case..... 10c per yard
50-inch..... 12 1/2
9-4 unbleached sheeting, best grade..... 18c
10-4..... 20c
9-4 bleached..... 18c
10-4..... 20c

It is easy to sell the "cheap" cheap, but we are selling the "good" cheap else we wouldn't have the buyers.

SHIRTING.

- Blue and black twills..... 10c per yard
- Southern silk shirting, regular 10c grade..... 8c
- Amoskeag staples, these are the best values..... 10c
- Other values at 5c and..... 7c
- Madras Chevrot..... 12 1/2
- Eastlake Chevrot..... 15c

CALICO.

- 10 yards calico..... 25c
- Reds..... 5c per yard
- Simpson's blacks and greys..... 5c
- Blues..... 5c per yard
- Fancy dress calicoes, 6c, 7c and 8c grades this sale for..... 5c
- Fancy picotene calico, sold everywhere at 15c, the best calico on the market, our price..... 12 1/2 per yard

GINGHAMS.

- 5 yds apron check gingham..... 25c
- Amoskeag fancy dress gingham 8c
- Amoskeag apron check, per yd 6c
- Toile-de-Nord..... 10c

Grocery Department.

- 17 lbs Granulated Sugar..... \$1 00
- Any package coffee..... 10c
- Package corn starch..... 4c
- Bottle Lemon or Vanilla Extract..... 4c
- 10 bars Santa Claus soap..... 25c
- 12 bars Ark soap..... 25c
- Preserved strawberries, per can..... 10c
- 3 cans peaches..... 25c
- 10 lbs Oatmeal..... 25c
- 1 lb can Clover Leaf baking powder, guaranteed equal to Price's or Royal..... 25c
- Absolutely pure spices per pound..... 40c
- 10c bottle Sewing Machine Oil..... 6c
- Van Camp's pork and beans..... 10c
- Condensed Milk..... 5c
- Clover Leaf Extracts, equal of any on the market. Full line of Price's Extracts.
On Time Yeast Foam and Mrs Anderson's yeast.
Full line bottled goods, pepper sauce, pickles, chowchow, onions, olives, jellies, mustards, horseradish, mustard, etc. Bulk pickles, olives, white fish and Columbia river salmon, salt and smoked meats.
Agents for Winslow, Rand & Watson's "PREMIER" Coffees.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Republicans Meet in Convention and Nominate Candidates.—Meeting Harmonious Throughout.

The republican county convention was held at the court house in this city on Thursday, August 4, and a good representation of electors from all the precincts in the county were present.

Convention was called to order at 11 a.m. by Chairman Hacker. Call was read by secretary.

On motion C. F. Cather was named for temporary chairman. D. C. Jenkins was named for temporary secretary.

On motion chair appointed the following committees:
Credentials—C. W. Kaley, R. A. Simpson, I. W. Cray.

Organization—A. M. Walters, Isaac Fish, J. A. Bailey.
Resolutions—C. B. Crone, A. M. Walters, I. B. Hampton.

Convention then adjourned to one o'clock p.m.
Convention reconvened at 1.30 p.m. Report of committee on credentials read.

On motion delegates from Stillwater township were allowed a seat in the convention.

There being no contests, the list of delegates as handed to the committee were declared the delegates to the convention.

On motion report of committee on organization was accepted. Committee recommended temporary organization be made permanent.

It was moved and carried that delegates present cast the entire vote of their delegation through their chairman.

Committee on resolutions reported the following which was adopted:

"Resolved that we as republicans in county convention assembled do most heartily endorse the present policy, both civil and military as has been and is being pursued by the present republican administration, and that we tender our best thanks to President William McKinley and our congress for the passage of the resolution annexing Hawaii.

"Resolved further, that we are in favor of the United States holding possession of the West Indies that was formerly owned by Spain until satisfactory arrangements can be made by the inhabitants thereof for a stable form of government. Also that Manila and sufficient territory adjacent thereto be retained by this government for the use of our navy in the far east.

"Resolved further, that we believe the present prosperity of the country is directly traceable to the republican policy of protection and the passage of the Dingley bill by congress."

According to the call nomination of candidate for member of the legislature being next in order and on motion that the first ballot be an informal one that motion was carried.

The chairman here named A. J. Hayes and U. G. Knight to act as tellers.

The first informal ballot for member of the legislature resulted as follows: J. S. White, 71; I. B. Hampton 50; scattering 4.

The first formal ballot for member of the legislature resulted as follows: J. S. White 77; I. B. Hampton 47; scattering 1.

Mr. White receiving a majority of all the votes cast was declared the choice of the convention and being called for thanked the convention for the honor in a few well chosen words.

The next in order was the nomination of county attorney and the informal ballot resulted as follows: Randolph McNitt 51; G. R. Chaney 38; D. F. Trunkey 29; Robt. Harris 6; J. M. Chaffin 5; A. M. Walters 2.

The formal ballot resulted as follows: Randolph McNitt 67; G. R. Chaney 34; D. F. Trunkey 24; J. M. Chaffin 1.

Mr. McNitt having received the nomination was called for and responded briefly in his usual happy manner.

It was moved and carried that chairman of each township constitute a committee to name delegations to the state, congressional, senatorial and float representative conventions.

During time committee was selecting names for the different delegations E. U. Overman was called upon and entertained the convention with a forceable and well worded speech which at times brought out well merited applause. G. R. Chaney and I. B. Hampton also favored the convention with a few remarks.

The committee for the selection of the different delegations reported and the following is the result:

State—R. A. Simpson, A. Galusha, J. F. Mills, G. J. Warren, T. C. Hacker, A. G. Willis, John McCallum, E. B. Smith, A. J. Hayes, C. W. Kaley.

Congressional—T. H. Quiggle, U. G. Knight, L. H. Fort, Jas. Burden, A. H. Kaley, W. E. Thorne, Bert Wheat, Frank Johnson, D. F. Trunkey, C. W. Lindgren.

Senatorial—L. Kenyon, F. M. Beach, Jos. Garber, Harry Chaplin, J. R. Harrington, C. F. Cather, Henry Clatte, Chris. Hansen, A. O. Berg, E. Peters.

Float Representative.—J. W. Runchey, C. B. Crone, Wm. Richards, Robt. Harris, J. M. Richardson, E. Bettler, Isaac Fish, W. F. Renkel, Otto Skjelver, John May, Louis Bangert.

On motion state delegation was instructed to use all honorable means toward the nomination of Judge Hayward for governor; the congressional for Capt. C. E. Adams of Superior and the float representative for C. E. Hicks of Bladen.

The following were chosen as members of the county central committee:

- Red Cloud, 1st Ward—W. B. Eoby.
- Red Cloud, 2d Ward—Saml. West.
- Harmony—A. Brady, Bladen.
- Catherton—W. J. Matheny, Campbell Inavale—U. G. Knight, Inavale.
- Walnut Creek—M. C. Fulton, River-ton.

- Glenwood—W. E. Thorne, Bladen.
- Batin—Robt. Harris, Red Cloud.
- Red Cloud precinct—Chas. Potter, Red Cloud.
- Line—Jos. Saunden, Red Cloud.
- Potsdam—A. H. Kriegsmas, Blue Hill.

- Garfield—N. L. D. Smith, Red Cloud.
- Elm Creek—C. E. Putnam, Cowles.
- Pleasant Hill—D. H. Kaley, Cowles.
- Oak Creek—Thos. H. Quiggle, Rosemont.

- Stillwater—J. C. Johnson, Rosemont.
- Beaver Creek—J. A. Bailey, Guide Rock.
- Guide Rock—I. W. Cray, Guide Rock.

Chairman County Central Committee—C. B. Crone, Red Cloud.
Secretary County Central Committee—L. H. Fort, Red Cloud.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas county, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1898. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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A torpid liver always produces dullness, irritability, etc. You are all clogged up and feel despondent. Perhaps you have treated with physicians or tried some other recommended medicine without benefit. All that is no argument against "Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic," which we insist will cure nervousness and liver complaints. If not satisfied after using one bottle your money will be refunded by C. L. Cotting.

The Union Fire Insurance Company is the best mutual Combine risks; in installments 3 per cent.—J. H. SMITH, Special Agent.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 1.

Spain is an up-to-date exemplification of the adage about the evils attendant upon a bad name. Although President McKinley has acted upon Spain's request for our terms of peace as though he believed in its honor and straightforwardness, there is no reason to believe that his faith in Spanish honor is any greater than that of the average man—owing to his experience, it is probably not so great. Not one man out of ten in Washington believes that Spain made those overtures with any serious intention of accepting our terms of peace, although in the end it may do so. It has very nearly reached a case of "must" with Spain, and if it doesn't accept the present terms, which, under the circumstances are liberal in the extreme—so liberal that the French ambassador, who is now also accredited as Spanish minister, accepted them on the spot—more severe ones will have to be accepted later. The terms condensed are the evacuation of Cuba and Porto Rico, and leaving the Philippine question to be settled afterwards.

In the general discussion which has followed Spain's plea for peace, some very interesting points have been raised. For instance, as an evidence of Spain's insincerity, one man calls attention to a clause in the Spanish constitution which prohibits the crown even entering upon negotiations hav-

ing in view the cession or exchange of any portion of Spanish territory until authority therefor has been granted by a majority vote of both branches of the national legislature. This is met by another man with a claim that the recent declaration of martial law throughout Spain operates as a suspension of the constitution, and that the Spanish government can, if it so desires negotiate a treaty on the lines laid down by the terms of this government without danger of having its legality questioned.

Gen. Miles is having an experience in Porto Rico that is unique in war. Instead of finding himself and army in the enemy's country, he finds that they are among the warmest sort of friends. The Porto Ricans cheer our flag and our soldiers whenever a town is taken possession of and declare themselves to be loyal Americans, many of them carrying the declaration to the extent of asking to be allowed to enlist in our army and fight for the flag which they already consider their own. Owing to the retreat of the Spanish garrisons of the captured territory, Gen. Miles is now in possession of almost the entire southern end of Porto Rico, including Ponce and other towns of more or less importance, and what is better, he has not lost a man, and the health of his army is good. All of the Spanish troops on the island are being concentrated at San Juan, towards which General Miles is slowly advancing, and

there may be some severe fighting there, although but little surprise would be caused by the surrender of the garrison when our army gets near enough to assault their fortifications.

Gen. Shafter has officially confirmed the press statement of the worthlessness of Garcia and his Cubans in the Santiago campaign.

The fear of the administration that the Philippine insurgents were likely to make trouble for us at Manila, have been increased by dispatches from Admiral Dewey and Gen. Merritt, who reached there last week. Aguinaldo, the insurgent chief, is nursing a bad case of big head, and has had little enough sense to try to give himself airs in his dealings with Admiral Dewey. One consolation in the situation is that Aguinaldo's relations with the Spanish are such that there is no possibility of his making a combination with them against us. After Manila is taken and the Spanish disposed of, General Merritt and Admiral Dewey will be in a position to administer a thrashing to the insurgents, if their actions show them to be hankering after it. The taking of Manila is not likely to be much longer deferred, unless peace puts a stop to the campaign.

Although not free from doubt that anybody else about how long we shall wait for peace, Secretary Long has issued orders for the monitors and

yachts composing the auxiliary coast defense fleet, generally referred to as the "mosquito fleet" to be put out of commission. This is the first step taken to reduce the tremendous war expenses of the government. A naval officer was asked if he thought this action on Secretary Long's part indicated his belief that peace was near at hand, replied, "Not necessarily. I think the vessels composing this fleet would have been ordered out of commission if Spain had not said a word about peace. Secretary Long knows that Spain has no ships left to attack our coast and that this fleet is no longer needed." The same officer was asked what about the decision by Secretary Long to purchase only one floating dock for service in southern waters, instead of two, which it was decided to buy before Spain made peace overtures. He said: "It was the destruction of Cervera's fleet, not peace overtures, that caused that change."

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