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The miners of Pennsylvania are still on a strike, an attempt to arbitrate their grievances and differences failed, and as a consequence, thousands are without employment and starvation will set in unless the work starts up soon.

The editor of THE TIMES feels very grateful for the signs of friendship to him, exhibited here by the people on campaign day. We shall always hold in our mind the 27th of August with fond remembrance.

Now that the smoke of political battle is over, let's lay aside our disappointments and shake hands over the result.

THERE IS NOTHING SO GOOD. There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, so demand it and do not permit the dealer to sell you anything else.

If Greenbacks are Withdrawn and Bank Notes Substituted, How Will Gold Redemption be Maintained? [From the National Bimetallist.]

The gold people claim that unless all of our different forms of money are kept at a parity, it will result in great confusion and almost financial ruin.

They affect to believe that the smallest premium on gold is a greater evil and injury than hundreds or even thousands of millions additional interest-bearing debt. They coolly ask the American people to close their eyes to the fact that the gold standard is the most prosperous in our country's history.

These two undeniable historical facts conclusively prove two things: First, that it requires something more than a premium on gold to ruin the United States; and, second, that it requires something more than the maintenance of parity to make the country prosperous.

The most unlooked for happening of campaign day here was the episode between Comptroller General Norton and THE TIMES editor. Mr. Norton felt aggrieved at the editor for declining to permit him to publish a communication in last week's TIMES, which involved Mr. Ellerbe, one of his opponents.

Col. J. L. M. Irby delivered a speech at Florence last Saturday night in which he roundly abused Senator Tillman. Colonel Irby had taken up an idea that the Conservatives would flock to him like bees to a hive when he cursed out Tillman.

The Pennsylvania Democracy are after the scalp of W. F. Harrity, national committeeman. They think he has no place on the committee after having gone off into the Palmer and Buckner procession last year.

Governor Ellerbe did the proper thing when he put his foot down upon the Constables taking a partisan interest in the election. He was right when he said that a Constable could not attend to his business and at the same time be a political heeler for some candidate.

HOW'S THIS! We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

West & Trux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.; Waiding, Kinnear & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.; Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

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BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required.

Notice to Creditors. All persons having claims against the estate of R. H. Cox, deceased, will present them duly attested, and those owing said estate will make payment to:

Notice. Office of County Supervisor, Manning, S. C., Sept. 1, 1897.

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Merchants! NOW IS THE TIME TO Advertise.

RETURNS OF THE Primary Election in Clarendon County, HELD AUGUST 31st, 1897.

The telegraphic dispatches indicate that McLaurin is elected by a safe majority. The Muscovy drake is dead and the stud colt is fixed.

Table with columns: U. S. Senator, Congress, State Senator, and various candidates including McLaurin, Evans, Irby, etc.

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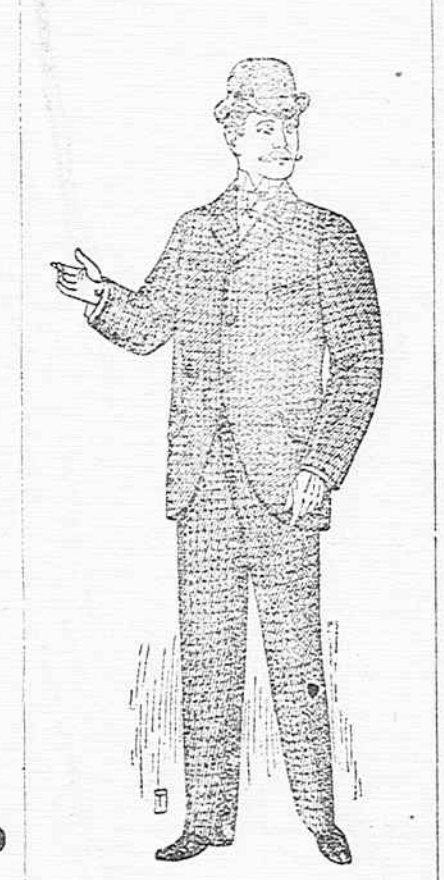
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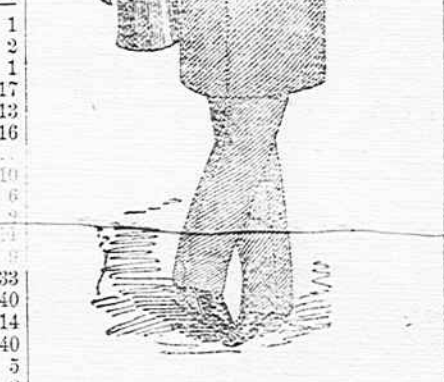
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CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST.

We are now making slaughtering prices on all our goods and at prices that have never been heard of here before.

We will not try to mislead by marking our goods in odd cents and half cents, but give you straight goods.

We will give you a pair of Men's Shoes for 95c. A pair of Ladies' Shoes for 65c, 75c, \$1 up to \$3.

We will give you a pair of Pants for 45c, worth double.

Now is the time to buy Blankets and Quilts. We are selling them very low.

Our Millinery is now coming in and all are invited to come and inspect same.

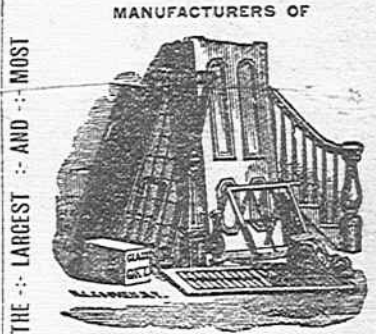
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