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The Senatorial Apportionment.

The past record of the Supreme court of Pennsylvania affords little hope for a just decision in the case of EDWARD M. BIDDLE, Jr., of Carlisle, against WILLIAM E. CROW, of Uniontown, who is sitting as Senator for the Thirty-second district. Mr. BIDDLE's contention is that the new apportionment bill violates the constitution of the State and is consequently invalid.

Under the new apportionment Fayette county comprises the Thirty-second senatorial district. Under the old law it was the Forth district and would have become vacant with the expiration of the last Legislature. But under the new law Cumberland county is made a part of the Thirty-first district, composed of Millin, Juniata, Perry and Cumberland and Adams a part of the Thirty-third district, composed of Adams and Franklin counties.

The fundamental law of the State declares that no law is valid which conflicts with any of the provisions of that instrument. It also specifically forbids the division of a county in forming a senatorial district unless entitled to two or more Senators. Yet in the new apportionment the county of Lancaster is divided though it is not entitled to two Senators.

Who is Being Shown Up at Harrisburg. (Continued from 1st page, 5th column) tors to claim that the capitol building had been completed for less than the amount appropriated by law. In fact literature had been prepared for distribution asserting this claim and extolling the Republican party in general and the Pennsylvania administration in particular for this splendid achievement.

THE QUAY MONUMENT BILL. Last week was a busy period in the Legislature, not that much was achieved, but that in one respect it was like the closing week of a session which is always run at high pressure speed. Wednesday was the last day for introducing legislation and nearly all the members wanted to get something in with the results that the bills were read in place on that day than on any other except the first day of the session for that order.

MORRISON.—Mrs. Rebecca Morrison, wife of James Morrison, died at her home in Clearfield on January 23rd, after an extended illness. Deceased was born in Centre county, her maiden name being Rebecca Anne Brooks. She lived in this county until 1860 when she was married to Mr. Morrison and went with him to Clearfield to live.

UNDERTAKERS ORGANIZE.—The Central Pennsylvania District Funeral Directors association, composed of undertakers from Blair, Huntingdon, Bedford, Cambria, Centre and Clearfield counties, was organized in Altoona last week with twenty-one members. Thomas Lynch, of Altoona, was elected president; George Vering, of Johnstown, secretary, and T. B. McFarland, of Hollidaysburg, treasurer.

THE TWO-CENT-A-MILE RATE. The two-cent-a-mile passenger rate bill passed the Senate on Tuesday and is now in the hands of the Governor. There were only three votes against it, those of Grim of Bucks, Roberts of Montgomery, and Sprout, of Delaware, who were frightened at the shadow of a threat to cut out the commutation tickets for suburban residents.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

WILLARD.—Mrs. Nannie Alexander Willard died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Morris Hazel, in Altoona, at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. For the past two years she had been a sufferer with that incurable disease, cancer, and only a few weeks ago other serious complications set in which hastened her death.

Deceased was a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Elijah Chambers and was born in Scottsville, Albemarle county, Virginia, fifty-six years ago last August. Her father was a Methodist minister and a member of the Baltimore conference. When the Central Pennsylvania conference was organized Rev. Chambers was transferred to Pennsylvania and located in Centre county in the early sixties. The family home was in Buffalo Run valley and there they lived for many years.

Surviving here are her two children, Wardner, a student in the Drew Theological Seminary, at Madison, N. J., and Josephine, married to Morris Hazel, of Altoona; also one sister, Mrs. W. V. Larimer, of this place, and four brothers: James, of Dan-Bur; Col. Edward R., George and William, of Bellefonte.

KANE.—After a little more than three week's illness with typhoid fever Herbert L. Kane, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Kane, died at the home of his parents on Friday night. Deceased was born in Bellefonte and was about twenty-nine years of age. He was always a steady, industrious young man, and by his warm-heartedness and genial nature had made a host of friends who deeply regret his untimely death.

ARMBRUSTER.—After being ill for six months or more with a complication of diseases Gottlieb D. Armbruster died at his home at Farmer's Mills on March 23rd. He was 61 years, 7 months and 26 days old. He was a native of Pennsylvania and all his life was spent in that section.

On Monday Rosa Bovango and Anna Simcoe brought separate suits for damages against the American Lime and Stone company, for the loss of their husbands, who it will be remembered were killed in the cave-in in No. 2 quarry on December 7th, 1906. Three men were killed but so far only two bodies have been recovered, those of Steve Bovango and Steve Simcoe.

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Milesburg and Unionville opened the base ball season in Milesburg last Saturday, the local team defeating the visitors by the score of 12 to 7.

The name of the Olivia postoffice has been changed to Bald Eagle.

On Monday Henry Fox and family moved from Bellefonte to Lewistown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. Miller are rejoicing over the arrival of a little daughter.

W. I. Swoope Esq., of Clearfield, is a candidate for the Republican county chairmanship in Clearfield county.

Andrew Morrison and Miss Mary Morgan surprised their friends Wednesday evening by quietly getting married, Rev. E. G. Richardson performing the ceremony.

Last Saturday W. B. Thomas, of Milesburg, completed his forty-second year of consecutive service in the employ of the Pennsylvania railroad company; and he now looks young and brisk enough to be good for forty years more.

Mr. Upton H. Reamer, conductor on the Lewisburg and Tyrone railroad, who has had trouble with his eyes for some time past, is now confined to his bed. As soon he recuperates sufficiently he expects to go to Chicago to consult an eye specialist.

With Miss Sallie Graham's going to Lewistown, Bellefonte has lost one of its most competent music teachers, she having at the time of her going the largest class in the town, would necessarily leave many who would regret her decision to make Lewistown her home.

Mrs. J. C. Harper entertained a number of friends at her home on Howard street, on Monday evening, as a sort of farewell party for her sisters, Misses Mary and Sarah Graham and Mrs. Esther Gordon, who this week went to Lewistown to make their future home.

Last Sunday evening a lamp exploded in the parlor of Uzzie's hotel at Snow Shoe and had it not been for the prompt and efficient work of Martin Reese, who discovered the flames, gave the alarm and worked like a Trojan in helping to extinguish them, the conflagration might have been quite disastrous.

Last Saturday Judge Ellis L. Orvis cleared up the license list by granting the application of Henry Kohlbecker, for the Central hotel in Boggs township, as against Harry Austin, the other applicant, who some weeks ago closed a deal by which he thought he had become the owner of the hotel, but which deal has since been declared off.

R. Braodman, of the "Workman's Clothing Store," has purchased the entire corner on Allegheny and Bishop streets, from Ed. Gillen's grocery around to Frank Galbraith's jewelry store, from the Mac-Bride estate. The price paid was four thousand dollars.

George C. Watson, professor of agriculture at The Pennsylvania State College, has been granted a year's leave of absence during which time he will engage in practical work as superintendent of the Solvay Process company's estates, better known as the Tully farms, near Syracuse, N. Y. The estate comprises four thousand acres, all under cultivation and requires the labor of not less than two hundred men.

State College did not begin the base ball season very auspiciously as they were defeated by the Mercersburg Academy nine by the score of 4 to 2. On Saturday, however, they defeated the Virginia Military College team by the score of 9 to 2 and on Monday the Washington and Lee University team by the score of 10 to 3, ending their southern trip on Tuesday by again defeating the Washington and Lee team by the score of 8 to 0.

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The many friends of "Chauncey" Bill Stuart, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Stuart, of State College, will be glad to know that he is well on the road toward being a real "Coal Oil Johnny." On March 11th he drilled in his No. 6 well on his leased land near Skiatook, Oklahoma, and it proved to be a seven hundred barrel natural. He is now drilling his No. 7 and has his derrick and rigging up for No. 8. At this rate he bids fair to become a rival of the Standard Oil company.

Last Thursday a telegram was received in Bellefonte that Dr. J. E. Ward, of Carlisle, stating that he had decided not to move back to Bellefonte but on Friday the doctor called Mr. C. T. Gerberich on the long distance phone and told him that they had again changed their mind and would come to their old home in this place. A letter received from Dr. Ward on Wednesday stated that he and his family will come to Bellefonte some time next week. In the meantime he is in Philadelphia watching some operations at one of the dental colleges. He will also spend some time with a specialist on Rigg's disease, or loose teeth, a disease very common at the present time. While in Philadelphia he will also be able to study something about the so-called enamel filling, which is as yet in the experimental stage.

O'NEIL—POTTER.—The wedding of Chauncey O'Neil, of Sewickely, and Miss Louise French Potter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Potter, of Baltimore, was a most elaborate affair. The ceremony took place at a late hour Wednesday afternoon in the First Presbyterian church of that city, and was witnessed by several hundred guests.

WILLIAMS—HOLTER.—Announcement has just been made of the marriage, in Elmira, N. Y., in January last, of Clarence E. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Williams, of Beech Creek, and Miss Mollie Holter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Holter, of Howard. The young couple kept their secret very well as long as the husband was in business in Beech Creek but about six weeks ago he went to Clawson, West Virginia, to work for the P. P. Griffin lumber company, and the separation becoming unbearable announcement of their marriage was made and this week the bride will join her husband in West Virginia.

STOVER—CURRY.—Cameron Stover, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fall Stover, of this place, and Miss Mae Curry, of Sanbury, were married in Butler, at 2:30 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Nicholas, of St. John's Lutheran church, of that place. Mr. and Mrs. Stover came to Bellefonte on Thursday evening of last week and spent a few days at his parents' home in this place, ere returning to Butler and going to home-keeping in their already newly furnished home. The bridegroom is a painter by trade and has a good position in Butler.

POTTER—BROWN.—Quite a pretty wedding was celebrated at noon Thursday of last week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brown, at Linden Hall, when their daughter, Miss Mary Brown, was united in marriage to George Potter, of Ferguson township. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the U. B. church in the presence of quite a number of guests. After a brief honeymoon trip Mr. Potter will take his bride to his home near Pine Grove Mills, where he is regarded as a very progressive young farmer.

REES—DONNELLY.—The many friends of Will Rees, of Patton, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rees, of this place, were considerably surprised last Friday to learn that he had been quietly married at the day previous—Thursday, March 28th—at Williamsport, to Miss Anna Donnelly, of Patton. Mr. and Mrs. Rees spent Thursday night in Lock Haven and on Friday visited Mr. Rees' parents in this place for a few hours while on their way back to their home at Patton.

BIDDLE—CRAYS.—William I. Biddle, of Centre county, and Miss Emily S. Crays, of Floral, Clinton county, were quietly married at the Presbyterian parsonage in Mill Hall, last Thursday evening, by Rev. L. F. Brown. They will make their future home in Mill Hall.

ON THE P. R. R. RETIRED LIST.—Last Saturday three veteran employees of the Pennsylvania railroad company in Altoona were placed on the retired list on account of age. One of the number was David P. Funk, who last week celebrated his seventieth birthday. Mr. Funk was a native of Centre county, though his parents moved to Blair county when he was only a boy. After he grew to manhood he followed the carpentering trade until the breaking out of the Civil war when he enlisted and served for three years. After his discharge he returned to Centre county and worked at the wagonmaker's trade until 1881 when he went to Altoona and entered the employ of the Pennsylvania railroad company. For the past fifteen years or more he has been connected with the outside repair gang and was considered one of the best workmen in the company's employ. His home is in Juniata.

EXAMINATION FOR PERMANENT CERTIFICATES.—Jonas E. Wagner, of Bellefonte; W. P. Hosterman, of Penn township, and C. D. Koob, of Phillipsburg, the committee in charge, held the regular examination for permanent certificates in the arbitration room in the court house last Friday. The class of applicants numbered but seven, as follows: Miss Cordelia Ocker, of State College; C. F. Hoy, Zion; H. E. Leathers, Snow Shoe; Wilbur F. Leathers, Roland; C. C. Small, Smulton; Miss Lillian Streamer, Phillipsburg, and W. L. Thompson, Howard.

One of the largest crowds that ever attended the rink assembled in the armory on Monday evening for the third masque carnival, and there were many unique costumes worn. The gentleman's prize was awarded to Thomas Beaver, who was dressed as an Irish gentleman and the ladies prize was taken by Miss Lucretia Williams, who was arrayed as a sunflower girl. Two men who drew for themselves considerable applause were F. R. Bessler, in quiet make up of a "Down Easter," and pushing around the room a "dummy" in the person of Russell Blair.

WHAT THE BOROUGH DADS DID.—Only five members of borough council were present at the regular meeting Monday evening, Mr. Shuey occupying the chair in the absence of president Harry Keller.

L. T. Munson was present and requested council to remove the sewer which crosses the property of Mrs. Munson, on Allegheny street, as it is their intention to move the house back from the street toward the center of the lot, and fill in the latter to the level of the street. The matter was referred to the Street committee for investigation and report.

Quite a number of residents of east High street, opposite the court house, preferred a request that a sewer be put down on Pike alley to connect with the one on Allegheny street. This was also referred to the Street committee.

Morris Yeager was present and asked council to furnish power for the Yeager Swing and Manufacturing company, from their engine at the Phoenix mill water works plant, during the time it will take the Yeager company to transfer their boilers and machinery from the old to the new building which they are now erecting. This matter was also referred to the Street committee for investigation and report.

In a written communication Life Tate asked that council refund to him the sum of three dollars, which he claimed as an excess fine imposed by the police. Mr. Tate claimed that he had been arrested and looked upon without being given a hearing before the burgess was turned out by the police on condition that he pay a fine of five dollars, which he claimed he did. This matter was referred to the Fire and Police committee for investigation.

Under the head of old business the Street committee reported against paying George A. Bezer any damages for the raising of Water street in front of his livery stable.

Borough solicitor J. Thomas Mitchell presented a draft of a curfew ordinance, as requested by council two weeks ago, and after some discussion the matter was referred to a special committee composed of C. C. Shuey, chairman, and Henry Brown and Dr. M. A. Kirk.

Peter Mendis complained of the practice of business people and others burning waste paper and refuse in the alley in the rear of his property on east High street. As there is an ordinance prohibiting this council requested the newspapers to warn all persons to desist therefrom.

The following bills were approved and orders drawn: Bellefonte Gas Co. \$18 10 Bellefonte Electric Co. 14 00 Bellefonte Electric Co. 83 25 Police Pay Roll 20 00 W. T. Kelly 1 month as clerk 12 50 Street Pay Roll 42 53 Bellefonte Electric Co. 4 35 Water Works Pay Roll 60 00 W. F. Reynolds rent 100 00 Late Speedon & Co. 14 88 \$704 21

WATCH FOR THIS RASCAL.—On Tuesday a well dressed man walked into James Wian's harness shop on High street, and representing himself as in the employ of C. H. Long, landlord and iveryman, of Mill Hall, purchased three sets of harness, tendering in payment therefore a check signed by Mr. Long for \$69.50. He left the store after requesting that the harness be sent to Mr. Long at Mill Hall. After he had gone Mr. Wian became suspicious and called up Lon only to find that the man was a swindler and forger. Evidently he must have gone from Bellefonte to Tyrone as that same day a check was presented and cashed at the Tyrone bank bearing the signature of C. H. Long and made payable to C. A. Ritter. It was drawn on the Clinton Trust and Safe Deposit company, of Lock Haven, and was for \$186. The Tyrone bank officials did not even suspect the forgery until they sent the check to Lock Haven in exchange when they were informed of its worthlessness by the Trust company officials. In the meantime the slick stranger had disappeared.

Lemont. L. F. Roan and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in Bellefonte.

Fishing and fish stories, with moving, is all the go in this town now.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday were cold enough to freeze the ground.

David Summy, of Philadelphia, visited among friends in these parts last week.

Christ Car, of Bedford, enjoyed a few days visiting with his aunt, Rosa Williams, this last week.

Mrs. Sechrist, of Centre Hall, spent Saturday and Sunday with the ladies of the U. E. church.

The stork made his tenth trip to the home of William Raiston, last Monday, and left a little daughter.

George Sellers and wife departed for Oklahoma, Monday, where he has secured a fine position as mining engineer.

Clayton Ethers, Oak Hall's hustling miller, has nine boils on the back of his neck, which he has been nursing the past few days.

they were compelled to bring her home again Tuesday morning. Edwin K. Smith, one of Michigan's dairy and creamery men, came home Wednesday of last week to help move his furniture to Lemont, where he is storking it in the house occupied by L. F. Mayes.

Oscar Barnes, the superintendent of the new artificial ice plant at State College, came with his family and goods Tuesday, and will occupy the house vacated by Mrs. Cyrus Wasson, who will move to Aronsburg on the 9th inst., as her son, Robert, is principal of the high school at that place.

Pine Grove Mention. Mrs. Ira Gates did shopping in Tyrone on Tuesday.

Overcoats and mittens were in demand after Easter.

Miss Annie Tressler was taken to a Philadelphia hospital last Friday for treatment.

Miss Mary Getz is visiting relatives in Philadelphia and will be gone three weeks.

Kepler and Musser bought one of D. A. Grove's western horses for the mill wagon. It's a dandy.

Miss Sadie Dannley, one of the very efficient helio girls at State College exchange, spent Easter at home.

Little Grace, daughter of Elmer Corl, received an ugly wound on her face on Sunday by being caught on a hook.

Dr. H. C. Campbell, of Philadelphia, was called home to see his mother who is seriously ill with cancer of the stomach.

John Gardner, who is suffering with typhoid fever, is but little improved. Miss Barbara Goheen is very much better.

D. P. Henderson and son John, of Spruce creek, passed through town Monday with a fine horse they bought of Daniel Grove.

C. M. Fry and wife, of Altoona, spent Easter among their many friends here and at Pine Hall, returning home on Tuesday.

Henry McWilliams was hastily called to the bedside of his younger brother, George, who is seriously ill at the home of his sister in Altoona.

J. P. Wagner and wife are down from Altoona visiting relatives in Pennsylvania where Mr. Wagner is recuperating his shattered health.

Miss Helen Duff, after a most pleasant visit with relatives here and at State College for two weeks, returned to her home at Salsburg last Friday.

E. E. Ross and his clerk Elmer Louder are nursing a colony of Job's comforters while Mrs. Ross is conducting the mercantile business very successfully.

Albert and Nannie Houser and Miss Helen Lytle, students of the Huntingdon High school, and William Sunday, of Susquehanna University, were here for Easter.

Last Sunday evening while Rev. W. K. Harnish was preaching in the Boalsburg church some hard-hearted wretch relieved his buggy of a splendid robe and whip.

Geo. W. Weaver, of West Point, N. Y., was at his parental home last week to assist in the public sale of his mother's household goods, and thus another good home is broken up.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Kochler passed through town Saturday en route to Stone valley to attend the 73rd birthday of his mother, Mary Kochler, at the home of her son-in-law, Elmer Davis. There was a home gathering of all the family except one on Easter Sunday. The old dame is quite brisk and happy and bids fair for a long lease of life.

Some of the folks who fitted about the 1st were A. G. Arceley to his new home on the corner; Henry Bloom to the John J. Goheen farm at Rock Springs; Mrs. J. C. Devine and son Ross to Howard; Adam Feltz quit the farm for a well deserved rest in Boalsburg; Samuel Lohr succeeds him on the McFarlane farm; J. Cal Gates moved to his new home he bought of A. M. Brown; Harry Eyer took possession of the old Mill house; J. D. Nearhood and Frank Thomas moved to Colerain to work in the lumber business; Hamill Goheen moved to the Mrs. Bell home; Joe Johnson to the Wigton farm and Otis Hay succeeds him on the H. Royer farm; J. N. Bitner to the McCoy farm; J. Cal Struble to the E. C. Fye farm; Joe Mateer to the H. W. Keichline farm; Wm. Ingram to the G. M. Snyder farm; Al. Garner to the W. K. Corl farm; Irc Orman to the farm he bought near Oak Hall; Oscar Heckman to Spring Mills; Andy Kyle to the J. K. Rider farm at Gagesburg; Mrs. Alice Weaver for a time will visit among her relatives; J. I. Reed quit the farm and moved back to his home on Main street; James Hoover now is a full-fledged farmer on the Reed Bros. farm east of town, Jacob McClellan is again comfortably fixed in one of Capt. Kepler's houses; Daniel Brown to his father's tenant house on the Branch, vacated by John Parker who fitted to Shingletown; Cyrus and Fred Gearhart moved to State College; Charley Morris to the Dr. Hale farm; Clyde Smetzer on the farm he bought of Wm. Humes; H. M. Walker moved in with his father, A. S., on the Branch; Paul Bailey near the Hatfield place; Henry Ellenberger made sale and moved to Altoona to engage in the butcher business; Stewart succeeds him on the old farm; Samuel Dearth took possession of his new house he bought of J. G. Strayer; Levi Garner to the tenant home of Isaac Harpster; Milt Carver to the old Rock farm, Gen. Benner's old home; Wm. Louck to the John Musser farm; Moses Walters to the Reynolds' farm; James Lytle to his new possession at State College; Fred Krumrine to his new house; George Lutz to the old Mills farm; Rev. McKelvey to the Nancy Snyder house on Main street; Otis Corl to his father, Peter Corl's farm; Samuel Corl to the farm he bought of the P. Louck estate; John Strouse to the farm he bought of the P. Louck estate; A. F. Louck to the Mitchell farm; Charles Mitchell to the farm he bought at Oak Hall; Ed Confer to the Wm. VanTries tenant house; John Mung to the Arceley house east of town; Archie Laird to the tenant house on the Wm. McWilliams farm; John Hubler to the Harry Bowersox farm; Harry Walker to the J. N. Everts home on Main street; Samuel Reed to Silas Gibbons' farm; Mrs. John Leech and son will start farming on the old home farm at Shingletown; Wm. Werts to the farm he bought above the Seven Stars where he will combine farming and lumbering.

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