

Senator Arrested on Serious Charge.

State Senator Chambers O. Templeton, of Tyrone, Under \$5,000 Bail on Forgery Charge. Alleged Pecuniations \$125,000.

Not only residents of Blair county but a large number of people in Huntingdon and the western part of Centre county were very much shocked last Friday when the fact leaked out that the reason State Senator Chambers O. Templeton, of Tyrone, had withdrawn as a candidate for re-election was because he had been forced off of the ticket by his former partner, W. L. Hicks, and that the secret underneath it all, it was alleged, was that the Senator had for a number of years been engaged in a systematic scheme of increasing his own finances to the detriment of his clients and friends. The climax came last Friday afternoon when the Senator was arrested on the charge of forgery, the following particulars of which are taken from the Altoona Times: Templeton was arrested on a warrant from the office of Alderman Theodore D. Crawford, of the Fifth ward, on information made by Miss Elizabeth Myers, of Tyrone. Miss Myers has retained William S. Hammond to advance the prosecution.

The offense for which Templeton has been held is the appropriation to his own use of \$1,000 of Mrs. Sarah Fisher, of Tyrone, a sister of Miss Myers. She placed her funds with Templeton for investment and received a judgment exemption note, apparently made by county commissioner W. Howard Harpster. When it was presented for payment Mr. Harpster pronounced it to be a forgery. The matter was then presented to District Attorney J. Banks Kurtz.

When Mrs. Fisher read the exposure of Templeton's methods she was overcome and is now confined to her home with serious illness. Her sister, acting for her, came to the office of Mr. Kurtz and formally lodged information against him.

The warrant was served on Senator Templeton by Constable Henry Auker, at the former's Tyrone home. He was in his dressing room making his toilet when the constable called.

After the summons had been read Senator Templeton laughed and treated the matter as a joke, declaring that everything would come out right.

Squire Taylor, of Tyrone, and entered \$5,000 bail. O. Wallace Templeton, the Senator's brother, is his bondsman.

District Attorney Kurtz stated that this is the first of a long series of prosecutions that will be entered by those who will have suffered loss in an effort to force restitution.

The extent of Templeton's criminal operations has attained appalling proportions, and the end is not yet. No one can tell definitely just how much money he has made away with. Almost hourly new cases of abused confidence, and hundreds of people in Tyrone and vicinity who have entrusted funds to Templeton for investment are scurrying about trying to find out how they stand. W. L. Hicks, Templeton's former law partner, will be the heaviest loser, his individual loss being estimated at \$40,000. It is believed that he will be liable for some of the money that was entrusted with the law firm for investment. Many alleged embezzlements have outrun the statute of limitations, but there is still redress at civil law.

Widows, orphans, estates, fraternal societies and business associates are said to have been caught in the crash and many persons have sustained losses which they can ill afford. The most sublime confidence had been reposed in the Senator, and he was trusted implicitly by everybody. His outward exemplary life and appearance of comfortable circumstances were assets that made his amazing operations comparatively easy.

Senator Templeton was for years the senior partner in the law firm of Templeton & Hicks, of Tyrone, which enjoyed a large clientele.

He was a man very modest in dress and way of living. A member and elder of the First Presbyterian church of Tyrone and for a number of years superintendent of the Sunday school. Inasmuch as he has no children and his family consists of only himself and wife, his alleged pecuniations were not made because of extravagance so far as could be seen by his friends or the general public. At first his friends endeavored to keep the affair quiet and fix things up but it is proving too colossal for them to handle.

The prosecution of Senator Templeton will be in the hands of district attorney J. Banks Kurtz and W. Hayes Hammond, Esq., of Altoona, while he has secured as attorneys to defend him Stevens & Pascoe, of Tyrone. Since his arrest on Friday he is realizing the magnitude of the case against him as he is obliged to keep to his home and is on the verge of a nervous breakdown.

On Monday evening Senator Templeton made an assignment of all his property for the benefit of his creditors to Jacob A. Huffman, a retired wagon-maker of Tyrone, in whom the creditors of Mr. Templeton have the utmost confidence. His property all told is estimated to be worth about \$40,000, although the exact figures will not be known until the court appoints appraisers and they have made an appraisal of the property.

LEMONT.

The corn crop will be the best in several years. The schools opened Monday with a large attendance.

Mrs. Viola Roney and daughters returned to Hannah Saturday.

Many of our townsmen are tenting at the Granger's picnic this week.

Monday was quite warm and the thermometer stood at 75 degrees in the shade.

Robert Hoy is building a larger shop, so he can accommodate all his customers.

A few of the farmers have finished, and the rest are about through, putting out the fall crops.

James Schreck is busy working at his new house, and it will soon be ready for the bricklayers.

About fourteen hundred students passed

through town this week on their way to State College.

Earl Daugherty returned from Altoona the latter part of last week, where he held down a fine position this summer. He intends going to school this winter at State College.

Edward Dale, who has held a good position in the State College Electric company, the past two or three years, has secured a position in Pittsburgh that will net him one hundred dollars per month, and will move out this week. Good luck to him.

The heavy thunder storm, Sunday morning, was a surprise to all, as Saturday night was quite cold and many were expecting frost; but instead early Sunday morning all were awakened from their slumbers by heavy peals of thunder and the dashing of rain.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Miss Lena Miller is ill with rheumatism. Owing to the wet weather seeding is being delayed.

C. B. McCormick and Wm. J. Dale are among the sick this week.

Ray Williams, of Rock Springs, visited his parents over Sunday.

Wm. Mulburger and family spent Sunday at the J. F. Klingner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fishburn spent Sunday at the grandpa Neidigh home.

The stork visited the Harry Wrye home last week leaving a nice baby boy.

Farmer Charles Lytle is laid up with a sore foot caused by stepping on a rusty nail.

Miss Gertrude Keichline and Mrs. Maggie Meek were Boalsburg visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gregory, of Neff's Mills, are visiting friends hereabouts this week.

Miss Jennie Cole, of Altoona, is being entertained at the Leech home at Shingletown.

Mrs. Hannah Burdick came down from Altoona and is visiting friends in the valley.

Mrs. Calvin Struble, who fell down stairs last week and broke her arm, is improving nicely.

J. I. Markle, a car builder in the Juniata shops, is home nursing a badly mashed finger.

Mrs. Edward Gates with her two children are down from Tyrone visiting Gatesburg friends.

Mrs. Sallie Hartwick, of Altoona, with her daughter Grace, are here for a two week's outing.

Vern Moore and J. C. Bumgarner, of Neff's Mills, each shipped a car load of sheep from here on Friday.

The venerable Silas Gibboney, of Saulsburg, came over to spend the week with the Grangers at Centre Hall.

Farmer Elmer Ishler is out gunning for a pack of dogs that killed some of his sheep and chewed a number of others.

Herbert Rudy, J. C. Corl's right-hand man on the farm, is sick and was taken to his home at Charter Oak Saturday.

Ed. Reiley, clerk in Will Stewart's store, while cutting cheese on Monday morning whacked off the end of his middle finger.

Dr. Arnsby, instructor at the Ohio University, is here and enjoyed a drive with his mother through the valley on Sunday.

Leonard Grange, of Rock Spring, held their annual picnic on Saturday in the Squire Miller grove. Everybody had a joyous time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McQuigg and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Miller were among the old soldiers at Lakemont Park, Altoona, on Saturday.

Mrs. Viola Smith, of Medina, Ohio, was called home on account of the illness of her father, J. C. Hess, though he is somewhat improved. She came Wednesday.

Andy Cramer, one of Penny's trusted employees, is greeting his old chums down Penns valley looking not a day older than when he left here twenty years ago.

SPRING MILLS.

In this part of the valley, no grapes nor apples, a few peaches, but lots of potatoes.

Dr. A. G. Lieb sold his high spirited horse to C. P. Long, a very handsome animal.

Quite a number of our folks left on Saturday last for a week's camping at the Granger picnic.

Dr. Braucht is having his barns and outbuildings very neatly painted, a decided improvement.

John Lloyd has retired from attending stock and grounds of Dr. Braucht, and resumed shoe-making.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Philadelphia, are here visiting relatives and friends in the valley, guests of Dr. A. G. Lieb.

On the last Saturday in September, 24th inst., the supervisors will sell at auction the stone crusher, Sale at 9 o'clock a. m., at the store of the C. P. Long Co. on the "Hill."

H. I. Brian & Co. have again enlarged their operations of roofing, spouting, lime, etc., by adding coal to their business. The firm recently purchased a piece of ground above the railroad station and are now putting down scales and siding and erecting sheds, bins, etc. They are also contractors for cement walls and building foundations.

At the station one day last week, after loading a wagon with merchandise, C. A. Krape seated himself very comfortably on a box at the end, when the driver made a sudden start tossing box and our worthy postmaster into the middle of the road. The mishap might have been a very serious one, but fortunately resulted only in a big bump and a scare.

HUBLERSBURG NOTES.

Boyd Garner has been on the sick list the past week.

Clyde Lee is suffering with an attack of rheumatism.

L. H. McAuley came home from Burnham last Saturday nursing a sore hand.

Dr. Alton Dietrick, left last Saturday for Benner township, as one of its school teachers.

Mrs. Ida Barner is sick with typhoid fever and was taken to the Bellefonte hospital for treatment.

J. S. Frain, from lower Marion passed through our town en route for Centre Hall to attend the Granger's picnic.

D. Loyd Markle, who is employed in the electrical department in the Westinghouse plant, in Pittsburgh, is spending his vacation with his parents.



WHAT'S THE NEWS FROM MAINE?

Great Democratic Victory in Maine

Plaised Elected Governor by Eight Thousand Plurality.

WE WIN TWO CONGRESSMEN, ALL THE STATE AND MANY OF THE COUNTY OFFICES.

Republicans of Pine Tree State Defeated for First Time in Thirty Years.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 12.—There was no uncertainty in the voice with which Maine today recorded her preference for Governor and her attitude on the issues of the campaign generally, the plurality given to Frederick M. Plaisted, of Augusta, Democrat, being decisively large, while two of the four congressional districts, which are ordinarily strongly Republican, returned Democratic candidates.

Early returns also indicated that the Legislature might be Democratic and elect a Democrat as a successor to United States Senator Hale.

In the face of the sweeping Democratic victory, the Republican leaders were overwhelmed with surprise, and the magnitude of their successes astonished even the most sanguine of Democrats. It was the first beating the Republicans of Maine, the State of Maine and Reed, have had in thirty years, and by a coincidence Harris M. Plaisted, father of the present successful candidate, was Maine's last Democratic Governor, in the year 1881.

PLAISTED'S SPLENDID PLURALITY.

Asher C. Hinds, of Portland, parliamentary clerk of the House of Representatives, was defeated for Congress in the First district, while Congressman Burleigh, in the Third district, and Congressman Swasey, in the Second, also went down to defeat.

Colonel Plaisted, the Governor-elect, goes up to the capitol with a plurality larger than that given two years ago to his defeated Republican opponent, Governor Bert M. Fernald, of Poland.

The election passed off without any unfortunate incident, in fact it was one of the quietest in years. The vote was about an average one for an off year and the total will run to about 140,000.

Governor Bert M. Fernald, of Poland, said tonight:

"I have no doubt from the returns at hand that Mr. Plaisted has been elected by from 3,000 to 5,000. I don't understand why the vote should take such a sudden change in all parts of the State.

THE VICTORY GROWING.

Complete returns of the vote for Senators and Representatives, show the Democrats elected Monday gave the Democrats substantial majorities in both branches of the Legislature, which at the beginning of the new year will elect a United States Senator to succeed Eugene Hale, a Secretary of State, Treasurer, Attorney General and Commissioner of Agriculture.

According to the unofficial complete returns the Legislature will have a Democratic majority of 36 on joint ballot. The Senate will consist of 21 Democrats and 10 Republicans, while the House will have 88 Democrats and 63 Republicans.

The last Legislature consisted of 122 Republicans and 60 Democrats, the Republicans having a majority of 15 in the Senate and 47 in the House.

The Democrats have carried a whole or part of 13 out of 16 counties for county officers. Yesterday's figures show the Democrats elected 13 of the 16 high sheriffs in the State. Republicans elected their shrievalty candidates in Aroostook, Franklin and Washington counties only. In five of the counties Democratic sheriffs were re-elected, in eight other counties the Democrats gained the office.

Control of the Legislature is of more importance in Maine than in some of the other States, because under the Constitution a number of the highest State officers are appointed by that body. These are Treasurer, Attorney General, Secretary of State and Commissioner of Agriculture.

Among the appointments which rest with the new Governor are: A Judge of the Kennebec Superior Court, a State Commissioner of Industrial and Labor Statistics, a State Commissioner of Highways and a warden of the State prison. All these offices are now filled by Republicans.

The next Legislature will have full charge of redistricting the State.

Red Cross Medal.

All women will be interested to know that the Italian Red Cross Society has awarded the silver medal for those who did service in Calabria and Sicily during the recent earthquake to Dr. Caroline Matthews. Dr. Matthews went out as a volunteer and saw service with the Italian army, sharing the hardships of the soldiers in a country under martial law, coming face to face with horrors unspeakable, toiling amid gruesome sights in the endeavor to save human life.

She was at Reggio, when it was an inferno worse than that depicted by Dante. Dr. Matthews was also at Scilla, under General Cerri; at Villa San Giovanni, with the Grenadiers, and for many weeks far away, in the interior of Calabria, at Cinqueterone, a quaint old world township, where she worked with her Italian military colleagues under the dreaded yellow flag. There she took her share of duty, the only woman, and the only English-speaking person, in the camp.

Duty at the Red Cross tent alternated with marches into the surrounding country, relieving outposts, seeing to the wounded and so on. Daily one or other of these

duties fell to the lot of the English lady doctor, while the commandant remained at the hastily constructed lazaretto, and the civilian doctor attended to the sanitary arrangements of the little township. Six weeks ago Dr. Matthews arrived in England, after a very serious illness in Rome.

Woman Charged With Smuggling.

Mrs. Louise Klein, sixty years old, who went to Philadelphia from Baltimore last Thursday, has been arrested by Keenan and O'Brien, city hall detectives, and accused of smuggling into this country jewels valued at \$10,000.

These, it is asserted, she has been attempting to sell in this city. According to the police, Mrs. Klein confessed to Captain of Detectives Souder that she had purchased the jewels in Holland and then had them set in Paris.

With the bag containing the jewels strapped about her waist, she landed in New York on Aug. 8 on the steamship New York from Brussels. She went first to Chicago, then to Baltimore and on to Philadelphia. The United States customs authorities have issued a warrant for Mrs. Klein.

Meat Packers Indicted.

J. Ogden Armour, Louis F. Swift, Edward Morris and Edward Tilden, the big four in the Chicago beef trust, were indicted by a federal grand jury, charged with being in a combination in restraint of trade in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

In addition named in the true bills were Arthur Meeker, of Armour & Co.; Charles Swift and several other men, ten in all, of lesser note in the beef combination. The corporations named in the recent true bill which was found faulty by Judge Landis weren't named. The grand jury had followed out the instructions of Judge Landis and indicted the men instead of the corporations.

Under section 2 of the Sherman anti-trust law those convicted under this indictment may be sent to prison for one year, fined \$5000, or both, in the discretion of the court.

Trades His Baby For Pig.

A Russian woman living near Winnipeg, Man., gave birth to twins, but her husband was so displeased over the dual addition to his family that he promptly traded one of the babies to another Russian for a pig.

The case came to the attention of the authorities, and a constable forced the father to cancel the trade, which he had made over the bitter protests of the mother.

It is probable that the entire family will be deported. Government officials point to this case as showing a need of reform in the divorce laws.

The woman will be deported because of an unpardonable act of her husband, though public sentiment favors letting her remain and shipping away the husband.

Postmaster Dies In Jail.

Death ended the career of William T. Briggs, postmaster of Hartford, N. J., in the county jail at Camden, N. J. Briggs, who was twenty-six years old, was arrested one week ago on a charge of being \$1800 short in his accounts. He confessed, according to the authorities, and said he had spent the money in fast living. He was committed to jail in default of \$1000 bail.

Briggs was taken with delirium tremens on Saturday. He was one of the best known men in South Jersey.

Robbers Get \$7,500.

Gold bullion valued at \$57,500, part of a consignment of \$170,000 from the Washington-Alaska bank, of Fairbanks, to the Dexter-Horton National bank, of Seattle, Wash., on the steamship Humboldt, was stolen in transit. Lead was substituted in the strong box that originally held the gold.

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