

McCormick's Threatened Bolt.

Correspondent Philadelphia Record. Seeing in Wednesday's Record that the Hon. Vance McCormick, who is the candidate of the Reorganizers for Governor, is quoted as saying that if he is not nominated he will bolt the ticket, I want to say what I think. A great mistake has been made, and one that will cause the loss of lots of votes to our party.

If candidates are going to make use of such declarations as that of what use is our primary system? For that is virtually a threat that "you must nominate me or else I will go out and work against the party." As I understand our primary system, it is so constituted that any person whatever may try for any office with in the gift of the people, and have a fair chance—something which was not always possible under the old convention system; then, after the primary, all, both party workers and the defeated candidates as well, are supposed to work for the good of our grand old party.

As has been said in these columns many times before, the only hope of making Pennsylvania, the grand old Keystone State, Democratic, lies in the unity of our forces; otherwise the Republicans will walk in, as they have been doing for the past few decades.

Let all factional feeling be forgotten, and a friendly contest be waged in by all candidates, and when the smoke of the primary battle has cleared away, let all rally to the support of the successful nominee and bring Pennsylvania into the rank of Democratic States.

I am not writing this to boost any particular candidate but, simply as a Democrat who loves fair play, and who, while not as old as some others, has always been found fighting in the front ranks.

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IN THE SEVEN MOUNTAINS.—The WATCHMAN is the appreciative recipient of the latest, and probably last, volume of Mr. Henry W. Shoemaker's series of publications under the title of "Pennsylvania Mountain Stories." The entire series consisting of seven volumes—entitled Wild Life in Pennsylvania, 1903; Pennsylvania Mountain Stories, 1907; More Pennsylvania Mountain Stories, 1912; The Indian Steps, 1912; Tales of the Bald Eagle Mountains, 1912; Susquehanna Legends, 1913; and In the Seven Mountains, 1914.

THE MARCH WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION.—The March Woman's Home Companion contains a long review of the work already done by that publication in the great campaign for Better Babies, which it has been carrying on for a year and which its Better Babies Bureau is to carry on during the coming year.

Other valuable articles in the March Companion are: "Why Fifty Women Go to Church," "The Importance of Play," another contribution by Mrs. Vorse in her series descriptive of the professions; "Education; and "Our Struggles for a Home and How it Brought Happiness as a By-Product."

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Just such a set of stories, called "Romances of Pennsylvania History," is being prepared for publication by the Sunday North American. The first romance will be published on February 22nd and the others follow in weekly succession. To readers in this locality the series will prove doubly fascinating, for each separate story will be thrilling, full of imaginative appeal and literary value, while at the same time it will treat of some romance well known in Pennsylvania history. Now and then in the round of illuminating local interest, some old story with which we of this neighborhood will have been familiar, some old-tale which will have for its heroes and heroines former residents of this locality, perhaps ancestors of some of us. The backbone of the romances, being of real historic occurrence, is true to life and with all of the local color, but the material is skillfully arranged to read like a great short story.

The first story will appear in the Sunday North American of February 22nd. Readers who did not get it may be able to secure a copy by sending 5 cents in stamps to the circulation department of the North American.

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New Advertisements.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the Partition of the Real Estate of James A. Lukens, late of the Borough of Philadelphia, Centre County, Pa., deceased.

In the Orphans' Court, Centre County, Pa., No. 8783. To the heirs and legal representatives of the estate of James A. Lukens, deceased, and the creditors of said estate and of decedent's heirs and legal representatives:

You are hereby notified and you will please take notice that the undersigned, an Auditor, appointed by the aforesaid Court for the purpose of ascertaining whether there are any liens or encumbrances on the real estate of the said decedent, or against any of the parties in interest, and for the further purpose of determining the amount due to any of such creditors, the amount due to the heirs and legal representatives of said decedent, and the share of each of said parties in interest in said estate, and to make a full report thereof to said Court, will meet all of the parties in interest at his office in the Masonry Temple, Bellefonte, Pa., on Friday, February 20th, 1914, at two o'clock p. m., at which time and place you are requested to be present, or to be forever debarred from future consideration in the above matter.

W. HARRISON WALKER, Auditor.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas the Honorable Ellis L. Orvis, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 4th Judicial District, consisting of the County of Centre, having issued his precept bearing date the 31st day of December, 1913, directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas in the Orphans' Court, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Over and Terminus and General Jail Delivery, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to commence on the

FOURTH MONDAY OF FEBRUARY, being the 23rd day of February, 1914, and to continue two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 23rd day of February, 1914, in the forenoon of the 23rd, with their records, inquisitions, examinations and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their offices pertain to be done, and those who are bound in recognitions, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, then and there to prosecute against them as or shall be just.

Given under my hand at Bellefonte, the 23rd day of January, in the year of our Lord 1914, and the one hundred and thirty-eighth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—The following accounts have been examined, passed and filed in record in the Register's Office for the inspection of heirs and legatees, and others in anywise interested, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Centre County for confirmation on Wednesday, the 25th day of February, A. D., 1914.

- 1. The first and final account of A. A. Pletcher, administrator of Etc., of George A. Jacobs, late of Howard township, deceased.
2. The first and final account of F. W. Keister, administrator of Etc., of Enoch Kreamer, late of Haines township, deceased.
3. The first and final account of Jerry Glenn, administrator of Etc., of John Glenn, late of Howard township, deceased.
4. The first and final account of Josiah C. Reaman and Resetta Lose, executors of Etc., of John B. Ream, late of Gregg township, deceased.
5. The first and final account of Dr. W. S. Glenn, Guardian of James Dorsy Hunter, John Gilbert Hunter and Oscar Wallace Hunter, minor children of Oscar W. Hunter, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.
6. The second account of George H. Emerick, Trustee, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre County, of the Estate of Simon Harper, late of Centre Hall borough, deceased.
7. The account of John S. Harter, executor of the Estate of Esther Tate, late of Walker township, deceased.
8. The first and final account of Rev. Harry A. McKelvey, executor of Etc., of Sarah F. McKelvey, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.
9. The first and final account of F. W. Confer, administrator of Etc., of John C. Lingle, late of Gregg township, deceased.
10. The first account of N. B. Spangler, Trustee of the Estate of Wm. Colyer, late of the borough of Centre Hall, deceased.
11. The first and final account of Thomas A. Hartscock, administrator of Etc., of Mrs. Fannie Carson, late of Patton township, deceased.
12. The third account of Ellis L. Orvis and Adam Y. Wagner, executors and Trustees under the last will and testament of John Wagner, late of Bellefonte borough, deceased.
13. The first and final account of Clement Dale, executor of Etc., of A. W. Swisher, late of Huston township, deceased.
14. The first and final account of D. L. Zerby, executor of the last will and testament of Christian Miller, late of Millheim borough, deceased.
15. The first and final account of Joseph J. Rhoads and Rebecca N. Rhoads, administrators of Etc., of Edward K. Rhoads, late of the borough of Bellefonte, deceased.
16. The first and final account of William F. Tate, administrator of Etc., of Angelina Tate, late of College township, deceased.
17. The first and final account of Wilbur F. Hall, executor of Etc., of Ella S. Hall, late of Howard borough, deceased.

J. FRANK SMITH, Register. Bellefonte, Pa. 59-5-4t

NOTICE In Re Satisfaction of Mortgage. In the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Centre, Pa., in and for the County of Centre, Bellefonte, Pa. Term No. 3, February Term, 1914. To Charles F. Cook, Succeeding Trustee, and to any and all parties interested in said mortgage or in the bonds secured thereby. Take notice that on January 13, 1914, the State-Centre Electric Company presented its petition to the above named Court, averring in substance, as follows:

"That it is the owner of the mortgaged premises described in the mortgage heretofore mentioned as follows, to wit: 'All that certain message, tenement and lot of ground situate on Lamb street, in the borough of Centre, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, bounded by lot of John Caldwell on the west, lot of W. E. Reynolds on the east, on the north by the lot of E. C. Humes, and on the north by said Lamb street, fronting on said Lamb street seventy-four feet from the lot of John Caldwell to the lot of E. C. Humes, and extending back south about one hundred and twenty feet to lot of W. F. Reynolds;' having erected thereon the buildings containing the machinery, &c., of the Central Station of said Company; together with all and singular the buildings, improvements and appurtenances; that said mortgage is a certain mortgage given and executed by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Bellefonte, to J. D. Shugert, Trustee, dated June 1st, 1893, and recorded in the office for the recording of deeds, &c., in and for the said county of Centre, in Mortgage Book 'V,' page 514, &c., being a mortgage given to secure an issue of thirty coupon bonds of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) each, aggregating a total indebtedness of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000), payable ten years after the date of five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and being a mortgage upon the above mentioned mortgaged premises; that the principal and interest on the bonds secured by said mortgage were fully paid in the year 1902, but by the death of J. D. Shugert, the Trustee named in said mortgage, on October 26th, 1900, the record of said mortgage has not been satisfied; that on the petition of the said petitioner the said Court, on December 6, 1913, by decree of the said Court bearing date, appointing Charles F. Cook, Succeeding Trustee in the place and stead of J. D. Shugert, deceased, as Succeeding Trustee under the above mentioned mortgage, with all the powers and authority vested originally in the said J. D. Shugert under and by virtue of the said mortgage.

That the said petition, therefore, prayed for the satisfaction of said mortgage. That thereupon the said Court ordered and decreed that the Sheriff of the said County of Centre serve notice, stating the facts set forth in the petition, on Charles F. Cook, the Succeeding Trustee under the said mortgage, and that the said Sheriff also give public notice in two newspapers within the said County of Centre once a week for four weeks successively, prior to the next term of the said Court, beginning the fourth Monday of February, A. D., 1914, requiring the said Succeeding Trustee and any and all parties interested to appear at said succeeding term and answer the said petition and show cause, if any, why satisfaction should not be entered on the record of the said mortgage by the Recorder of Deeds for the said County of Centre, or why the said mortgage should not otherwise be satisfied of record.

A. B. LEE, Sheriff. BLANCHARD & BLANCHARD, Attys. for Petitioner. Bellefonte, Pa. 59-5-4t

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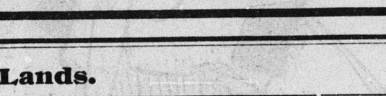
LEGAL NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the following inventories of the goods and chattels set apart to widows under the provisions of the Act of April 14th, 1851, have been confirmed by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Centre County, and if no exceptions be filed on or about the first day of next term the same will be confirmed absolutely. 1. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Harry K. Hoffer, late of Phillipsburg borough, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow Grace Hoffer. 2. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of Dallas C. Custer, late of Huston township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Nora Cronister. 3. The inventory and appraisal of Roland B. Treaster, late of Potter township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Lydia Treaster. 4. The inventory and appraisal of the personal property of J. M. Goodhart, late of Gregg township, deceased, as the same was set apart to his widow, Leticia Goodhart. J. FRANK SMITH, Register. 59-5-4t



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Free Florida Excursion March 3rd, 1914 The Pudding's Proof is Seeing with the Eyes. This coupon entitles you to one vote—your choice of any citizen of Centre county whom you would like to have inspect our beautiful farm land for you. The one regardless of sex receiving the greatest number of votes up to 9 P. M. Saturday, February 28th, 1914, will have his or her round trip R. R. fare paid to Fruitland Park, Florida, and one week's free board at our splendid hotel. My choice is..... Return this coupon properly filled out to M. C. Gephart, Bellefonte, Pa. 59-8-1t

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