

Democratic Watchman

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P. GRAY MEEK, Editor. TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.—Until further notice this paper will be furnished to subscribers at the following rates:

No Danger of a Vacancy. Nobody need fear that WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN will resign his office.

Besides the office of Secretary of State is an exceedingly attractive one. It is next in dignity to that of President and next in importance to that of Speaker of the House.

No, Mr. BRYAN will not resign, unless there is a better office in sight. He isn't built that way. He may not always be happy in the office.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

WOOMER.—Mrs. Sarah Woomer, wife of Henry C. Woomer, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Mothersbaugh, at Bald Eagle, last Friday morning.

Her maiden name was Sarah Woodring and she was born at Port Matilda in 1834, her age at death being 79 years, 8 months and 22 days.

Funeral services were conducted at the Mothersbaugh home at two o'clock on Sunday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Hoover, of Tyrone, after which burial was made in the Bald Eagle cemetery.

ARMOR.—Miss Eudotis Armor passed away at her home on East Linn street at seven o'clock on Wednesday morning.

She was a daughter of James and Ruth Armor and was born in the old Armor home on High street, where the Mrs. W. P. Wilson residence now stands, on May 12th, 1829.

Funeral services will be held at her home this (Friday) afternoon at two o'clock by Rev. John Hewitt, after which burial will be made in the Armor lot in the Union cemetery.

LONG.—Mrs. Isabella Long, wife of Edward E. Long, died at her home at Wingate on Monday morning at five o'clock, of heart trouble.

Her maiden name was Isabella Krider and she was born on July 28th, 1841, hence was in her seventy-third year.

Funeral services were held in the Evangelical church at Wingate at one o'clock yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. Ziegler, after which the remains were taken to Unionville for burial.

UNDERWOOD.—Mrs. Anna Livsey Underwood, wife of William J. Underwood, youngest brother of Isaac Underwood, of this place, died at her home at Tacony, near Philadelphia, last Friday night after a brief illness.

ZIMMERMAN.—Calvin Zimmerman, a well known resident of Milesburg, died at the Bellefonte hospital at 1.30 o'clock on Monday afternoon, of uramic poisoning.

Deceased was a son of James and Susan Zimmerman and was born in Union county sixty-three years ago last November.

In August, 1882, he was united in marriage to Miss Frank Eddy who survives with four children, namely: Lyman Eddy Zimmerman, Belle, Margaret and Malcolm, all of Milesburg.

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Johnson.—Mrs. Harriet Johnson, wife of Albert Johnson, died at her home in Altoona on Saturday morning, after a brief illness with peritonitis.

CONFER.—Following a brief illness with pneumonia Philip Confer, a retired Marsh Creek farmer, died on Sunday morning, aged 83 years, 3 months and 16 days.

CRAIN.—Amos Crain, a life-long resident of Philipsburg, died on Monday morning. He had been sick since last October but had been confined to bed only about a week.

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Supply Ship For Fleet. The freighter Washingtonian, of the American Hawaiian Steamship company, was chartered by the United States government to carry supplies to the fleet off Vera Cruz.

Pass Volunteer Army Bill. The volunteer army reorganization bill, which converts the National Guard of the United States into the army in time of war, was approved by the senate and house conferees.

Mounted Indians Offer to Enlist. Superintendent H. F. McHigg, of the Papago Indian reservation at Tucson, Ariz., said that he would offer the services of 400 mounted Indians to the government in case of war.

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CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS.

William E. Tobias, Clearfield, Pa. Democrat—Dry.

CANDIDATES FOR STATE SENATE.

W. M. Cronister, Martha, Pa. Democrat—Dry. William H. Patterson, Clearfield, Pa.—Democrat.

LEGISLATURE.

David W. Miller, Pine Grove Mills, Pa.—Democrat—Dry. John A. Williams, Port Matilda, Democrat—Dry.

I have in my possession the original letters from nearly all of these gentlemen. In one or two instances I have copies of their letters.

We have not interviewed the candidates for the Governorship, or the higher courts, or the United States Senate.

HOPE FOR MINERS.

Entombed Men May Be Taken Out Alive. Hope that some of the 178 miners imprisoned in mine No. 5 of the New River Collieries company at Eccles, W. Va., wrecked by a gas explosion, might still be alive.

MAY DESTROY LEGATION IF THEY WISH.

Should anti-American demonstrations develop an attack on the American embassy in Mexico City, the officers will be in a hurry to injure Mexican property and not American.

500 CATTLE FOR HEAD OF TEXAS RANGER.

There is a standing reward of 500 head of cattle among Mexicans for the head of a Texas ranger brought to Mexican soil, according to information received by Governor Cole.

MOTHER AND FOUR CHILDREN BURNED.

Mrs. Mildren Verner and her four children were burned to death when their home on the outskirts of Mount Union, Pa., was destroyed.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Aunt Mary Gates is ill with bronchial trouble and the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Lytle spent Monday with friends at State College.

Farmer Samuel Elder is shy a good cow that he found dead in the barn yard.

Rev. J. O. C. McCracken, of Johnstown, spent several days last week at his parental home in the Glades.

Rev. J. C. Price is visiting his parental home at Shade Gap, and Mrs. Price is at her home near Lewistown.

Miss Goldie Gates, who has been in feeble health, was taken to the Bellefonte hospital last Friday for treatment.

Miss Flo Henderson is now enrolled as a student at the Shippensburg Normal school, preparing herself to teach.

Rev. W. H. Thaub, of State College, spent Tuesday with his classmate, Rev. L. S. Spangler, at the parsonage on Main street.

After several weeks rest at his parental home James Gummo returned to his job at Pittsburgh last week to push the planer and saw.

Miss Mary R. Meek is building a hog house 40x20 and expects to engage in the hog business extensively.

The Ladies Mite society of the M. E. church will serve a chicken and waffle supper on Saturday evening, May 9th, in the I. O. O. F. hall.

Mrs. Frank Burwell, of Oklahoma City, has been visiting Centre county friends the past week, having been called here on account of the death and funeral of I. L. Burwell.

The rainy, stormy weather did not keep the stock from making his rounds.

David Porter Henderson was seventy-five years old on April 8th and his many friends gave him a birthday party.

Last Friday evening the N. C. Neidigh house was filled with friends who planned a surprise party for their daughter Esther.

FEDERAL COMMANDER FALLS IN BATTLE NEAR MONTEREY.

General Enrique Perez, commander of the Federal forces driven from Monterey by General Pablo Gonzales.

WHERE'S THE MEXICAN NAVY?

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SERIOUS ON WEST COAST.

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Mediation Will Likely Settle Mexican Trouble.

The Proposition of the Latin-American Powers a Good Solution of the Present Difficulty. Carranza is Included in the Scheme and Entire Peace Now Probable.

The scope of mediation plans for the settlement of the Mexican crisis was suddenly broadened Wednesday night so as to include the intire range of Mexican affairs—

WASHINGTON, D. C. April 30, 2.20 p. m. Not for many years have prospects for peace in Mexico been as bright as they are to-day.

The path to an early settlement has been swept clean by Carranza's statement. To-day's work consisted of efforts to secure an armistice and reduce agreements to writing.

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The communication, addressed to both governments, formally requests each government to declare an armistice. It was pointed out by officials that in all probability the United States would accept the proposal.

An announcement was made by Secretary Bryan that General Carranza had accepted the principle of mediation in the difficulty between the two countries and that he had informed the mediators of his willingness to confer on the subject.

The proposal for an armistice does not include any reference to the revolution in Mexico, the United States and Huerta merely being called upon to cease active operations against one another pending further mediation proposals.

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The British embassy has received from Sir Lionel Carden, British minister to Mexico, a telegram stating that Huerta has promised to give friendly consideration to any suggestion under the proffer of mediation.

If that proves to be true, the "A. B. C." mediation, as the plan is called, from the initials of the mediating powers, may point the way out and eventually lead to a complete settlement of the Mexican troubles.

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Two hundred other Federal troops were killed. The Constitutionallists captured 300,000 rounds of ammunition, mountain guns and other war munitions, along with a quantity of Federal baggage.

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It was in the destruction of the municipal building that the twenty Mexican soldiers lost their lives. Hundreds of persons were attracted to the river banks by the sound of the firing, and both men and women risked their lives in watching the combat while bullets fell near them.

SAY HUERTA IS READY TO FLEE.

An army coup d'etat resulting in the overthrow of President Huerta is now threatened in Mexico City.

Attaches of the national palace are reported to be getting all railroad cars available, indicating that Huerta is preparing to leave the city.

There is an ominous calm. There have been no anti-American demonstrations for forty-eight hours.

Representatives of General Zapata announced that he will reach the capital before Saturday.

Dr. Iganico Alcoer, minister of the Interior, has sent further messages to all state governors, urging them in the name of Huerta to push their efforts to persuade the rebel leaders to unite in defense of national integrity.

Despite this threatened overture of Huerta, diplomats in Mexico City profess to believe that Huerta's acceptance of mediation will result in the settlement of all the Mexican questions.

Huerta, it is said, will appoint Francisco de la Barra, now Mexican minister to Paris, as his representative before the mediatory commission.

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