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Democratic State Ticket.

- For United States Senator, A. M. PALMER, Monroe county. For Governor, VANCE C. MCCORMICK, Dauphin county.

One of the difficulties constantly confronting the average anti-PENROSE Republican editor is that he is obliged to denounce PENROSE and praise ROOT in the same issue while they practically stand for the same things.

We most sincerely hope that the several municipalities throughout the State will be severely strict in the enforcement of their ordinances against the use of an "open muffler" now that Mr. PINCHOTT has cranked up his political machine and gotten it under way again.

For over a week now the Harrisburg Patriot hasn't had a word to say about the immediate and uncompromising necessity for the "elimination" of the Democrats whom it had determined were bipartisans, and would have to be politically hanged, quartered and burned before the party could again look an honest man in the face.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

HOY.—Mrs. Sarah Wolf Hoy, widow of the late Joseph Hoy, died at the home of her son William, at State College, on Sunday morning.

Her maiden name was Sarah Wolf and she was born at Rebersburg on April 8th, 1833, hence was 81 years, 1 month and 16 days old.

The funeral was held at ten o'clock on Tuesday morning. Rev. L. S. Spangler officiated and was assisted by Rev. J. McK. Reilly. Burial was made in the Pine Hill cemetery.

POTTER.—Miss Mary Rhoda Potter died at the old homestead near Centre Hall at 9.30 o'clock last Thursday evening.

She was a daughter of Joshua and Mary Taylor Potter, deceased, and was born in Potter township on November 4th, 1845, hence at her death was 68 years, 6 months and 17 days old.

The funeral was held from her late home on Monday morning. Rev. W. H. Schuyler Ph. D., officiated and burial was made in the Centre Hill cemetery.

KETNER.—Mrs. Catharine Ketner, wife of James Ketner, of Altoona, died in the Altoona hospital about seven o'clock on Saturday evening, of chronic nephritis, with which she suffered for three years.

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BAILEY.—Thomas Scott Bailey, the well known blacksmith and carriage builder, of State College, died at an early hour Wednesday morning.

Deceased was the seventh son of John and Nancy Bailey and was born at the old Bailey home in the Glades on December 28, 1852, hence at his death was 61 years, 4 months and 30 days old.

The funeral will be held at 1.30 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon. Rev. Samuel Martin will officiate and burial be made in the Branch cemetery.

MILLER.—Mrs. Alma C. Miller, wife of John W. Miller, of Pine Grove Mills, died at 11.30 o'clock on Wednesday night following a brief illness with bowel trouble.

Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Rishel, deceased, and was born in Buffalo Run valley. At her death she was 55 years, 9 months and 17 days old.

The funeral will be held at 9.30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Rev. S. C. Stover will officiate and burial will be made at Boalsburg.

HAYES.—Martin J. Hayes, a well known and old-time resident of Snow Shoe, died between eight and nine o'clock on Saturday morning of apoplexy.

His wife, who before her marriage was Miss Catharine Gaffney, died twenty-eight years ago but surviving him are the following children: John, of Olean, N. Y.; Austin, of Lancaster; James, of Emporium; Mrs. Fred Weber, of Pittsburgh; Miss Rose, of Washington, D. C., and George, of Snow Shoe.

Funeral services were held in the Catholic church at Snow Shoe on Tuesday morning by Rev. Father Connelley, after which the remains were brought to Bellefonte for burial in the Catholic cemetery.

O'LEARY.—Following a lingering illness with stomach trouble and other ailments John J. O'Leary died at his home in Providence, Rhode Island, last Friday afternoon.

LAIRD.—Mrs. Alice Laird, wife of William Laird, of Tyrone, died at the home of her parents at Port Matilda, on Saturday night, following a protracted illness with dropsy.

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ISHLER.—Word was received in Bellefonte this week of the death from Bright's disease, of Edward Ishler, at his home in Oswego, N. Y., which sad event occurred on May 5th.

Deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ishler, and was born in Marion township about twenty-seven years ago.

BUDINGER.—Pattie Budinger, the eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Budinger, of Snow Shoe, died in the Lock Haven hospital at 2.30 o'clock on Monday afternoon following an operation for appendicitis.

DOINGS OF SECOND WEEK OF COURT.—Court convened on Monday morning with Judge W. N. Seibert, of Perry county, on the bench with Judge Orvis.

On Monday afternoon, before Judge Seibert, the case of David McCloskey, et. al. vs. J. F. Young was taken up. It was brought by the plaintiffs to recover a tract of land in Curtin township.

Tuesday afternoon the case of Craig S. Rhoads and Josephine Rhoads, his wife, vs. The Pennsylvania Railroad company, an action in trespass, was taken up.

WOMAN'S CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS.—At the annual meeting of the Woman's club of Bellefonte, held in the High school building on Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

High School Commencement.—Eighteen young men and twenty-three young women will graduate from the Bellefonte High school at the annual commencement exercises which will begin on Sunday evening with the preaching of the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. George E. Hawes, of the Presbyterian church.

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The banks and postoffice will observe to-morrow (Memorial day) as a legal holiday. On account of it being Saturday the stores will be closed only during the exercises in the afternoon.

Official Totals of Centre County Primaries.—The county commissioners began the official count of the vote cast at the primaries on May 19th at noon on Friday and completed the work on Saturday.

Table with 2 columns: Candidate Name and Vote Count. Includes Democratic and Republican totals.

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C. L. Gramley, having received three votes on the Prohibition ticket, will be that party's candidate for the Legislature.

SCHOOL EXERCISES.—Following is a program of the exercises of the brick school: Opening exercises. The Sand Man. Shoemaker John. Milkmaid Drill. Joys of Country Life.

At the annual convocation of the Knights Templar of Pennsylvania held at Erie, this week, Rev. John Hewitt was re-elected Grand Prelate for the ensuing year.

W. C. T. U. ESSAY CONTEST.—ON Monday afternoon the second annual W. C. T. U. prize essay contest was held in the High school auditorium.

Our Correspondents' Opinions.—This column is at the service of those of our people who desire to express their views on any subject of general or local interest.

ALCOHOL AND CRIME.—It scarcely occurs to people that most kinds of sickness are preventable.

WASHINGTON PARTY.—It robs the nation of a large amount of money, and gives nothing in return, but misery.

PROHIBITION.—The relations which exist between alcohol and crime is a great subject in Sweden. Most crimes are committed while under the influence of alcohol.

NON-PARTISAN TICKET.—George H. Bonner, Gustav A. Endlich, J. J. Kintner, George Kunkle, H. L. Robinson, Emory A. Walling, William Wilhelm.

Judge of the Superior Court.—James E. Clark, Albert M. Fuller, Thomas J. Prather, Frank M. Treidler.

Take for instance a few young men who have committed a crime. Say we take a look into their home and social life. Their home is in a dirty part of the city, a plague-spot which is a curse to our civilization.

Beginning June 1st the county commissioners will pay bounties upon all noxious animals, in accordance with the recent act of the Legislature.

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Rev. Hawes Has His Say Again.—BELLEFONTE, PA., May 22nd, 1914. Editor Democratic Watchman.

In your summary of the results of the recent primaries you speak of the nomination of Scott, Patterson and Tobias; and you say, "all three of the defeated aspirants (Gramley, Cronister and Benson) were running on the 'dry' platform, while their successful opponents trade no pledges on the question."

Mr. Tobias was asked the question we put to every aspirant for Congress. It is: "If nominated and elected to Congress, will you work for and vote for a joint resolution similar to, or identical with, the Hobson-Sheppard bill now pending before both Houses of Congress, which if passed would submit to the States of the Union an amendment to the Constitution of the United States forever prohibiting the manufacture, transportation, importation, exportation for sale of all alcoholic liquors as a beverage?"

In the cases of Mr. Patterson and Mr. Scott we sent to them this question: "If nominated and elected to next General Assembly will you (1) work for and vote for the Local Option Law which will be introduced in this coming Assembly by the temperance people, and for all other temperance measures which may have the approval of the temperance people? (2) Will you work against and vote against all anti-temperance measures which may be introduced and proposed?"

To these questions Mr. Patterson made reply by sending a copy of his personal platform in which, inter alia, he says, "As a Democrat, I believe that the majority should rule, and to that end, if a majority of the voters of this Senatorial district shall indicate to me by petition or otherwise that they are in favor of Prohibition, or Local Option, State-wide or otherwise, I will be governed thereby, and act in accordance therewith."

Mr. Scott was sent the same set of questions, but they either did not reach him, or were ignored. I wrote him later myself calling his attention to the fact that he had been asked these questions. He replied to me as follows: "Your favor of the 6th, awaited my return to my office this P. M. and I wish to advise you in reply, Mr. Hughes is mistaken when he makes the statement that I have been interviewed by he (sic) or some other members of a Committee as to my conduct on the temperance question. I dislike very much to have to refute his statement. As to my conduct along these lines I would refer you to any good citizen of Phillipsburg as to my habits and this should speak for itself."

The temperance people farred unusually well in this campaign. We couldn't expect to have all the parties nominate none but temperance men. Looking over the field after the several conflicts I discover that two out of the three parties (Democratic, Republican and Washington) nominated dry men for the U. S. Senate; all three of the gubernatorial nominees are dry; two out of three of the Lieutenant Governor nominees are avowedly dry men; all of the men running for Congress in this district are dry; two out of three of the State Senators named are dry (counting Mr. Patterson as one); and two out of three of the candidates for the Legislature in this county are dry.

They are all good enough, but the WATCHMAN is always the best.