

WHAT THE WORLD WANTS.

The world is waiting for the man
Who'll gladly do the best he can.
It has a salary high to pay
To him who is content to stay
Upon the job and labor on
Until he knows his work is done.

The world is seeking hard to find
The worker with a cheerful mind.
It wants a youth of pluck and will
Who'll use his brain and work until
The finished task at last he sees
Before he wants to be at ease.

The world has high reward to give
To him who does not want to live
As one who merely drifts along,
And fears to break the current strong.
It wants a youth of sparkling eye
Who sees a goal and dares to try.

The world pays well for men of brains
And honest toil and taking pains.
'Twill lift above the common lot
Of "didn't think" and "I forgot."
The man who in time of need
Can well be trusted with the deed.

The world is waiting for the man
Who'll look ahead and think and plan
And feel no matter what his post,
That he is where he's needed most.
For such a man there's work to do
And boy, it might as well be you.

—Edgar A. Guest.

LESSONS IN CITIZENSHIP.

Election Laws.

LESSON VII.

If the Judge is to be elected by the voters of a county or judicial district, how many voters' signatures are necessary on the nomination petition?

Answer: If the Judge is to be elected by the voters of the county or district, then at least two hundred qualified electors of such county or district are required to sign the nomination petition.

How many signatures are required for municipal officers under the Non-Partisan Act?

Answer: At least ten qualified electors from the respective district.

What other nomination petitions besides those for Judges elected by the voters of the State at large are filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth?

Answer: Nomination petitions for Candidates for the office of President of the United States, for the office of Senators of the United States, members of the House of Representatives of the United States, for all State officers, delegates and alternates to the National Party Convention, and for members of the State or National Committee shall be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth at least forty days prior to the Primary.

When and where are all nomination petitions filed?

Answer: In all other cases, nomination petitions are filed with the County Commissioners of the respective Counties at least four weeks prior to the Primary.

How many qualified voters must sign a nomination petition for a Candidate for the office of President of the United States or a Senator of the United States?

Answer: At least one hundred qualified electors in each of at least ten counties of the State.

How many signatures are required in the case of a candidate for a State office to be filled by the voters of the State at large?

Answer: At least one hundred in each of five counties.

Is this number required for any other candidates?

Answer: Yes. At least one hundred qualified electors in each of five counties must sign nominating petitions for the office of Representative in the Congress of the United States when such Representative is elected from the State at large and the same number is required in the case of delegate or alternate at large to a National Party Convention or a member of the National Committee.

How many signatures are required when the office is for a member of the House of Representatives of the United States to be filled by the vote of the electors of a Congressional district?

Answer: In such a case only two hundred signatures of qualified voters are necessary.

Is this number required for any other offices?

Answer: Yes, for the Judge of State at large, for the State Senators or for any municipal office to be filled by a vote of electors of a Senatorial district and for delegates and alternates to a National Party Convention when such delegates or alternates are not to be elected as delegates or alternates at large.

How many signatures are required in the case of a candidate for office in the State House of Representatives?

Answer: At least one hundred signatures in the case of candidates for the office of State Representative and the same number is necessary for the office of State Committeeman or for an office to be voted for by the members of the entire county.

How many signatures are required in all other offices?

Answer: In all other offices at least ten qualified electors are required except for the office of Inspector of election in which case only five signatures of qualified electors are required.

How are Candidates of political parties nominated?

Answer: All candidates for elective public office, except that of Presidential elector, must be nominated at Primaries held in accordance with the provisions of the Uniform Primary Act.

How are delegates and alternate delegates to National party conventions elected?

Answer: Such delegates and alternates are elected at Primaries.

How are State Committeemen elected?

Answer: They too are elected at the Primaries by Senatorial districts.

How are National Committeemen elected?

Answer: National Committeemen are elected by the State Committee of each respective party.

How many State Committeemen is each Senatorial district entitled to elect?

Answer: Each Senatorial district is entitled to elect two State Committeemen unless the district is composed of more than one county or only a part of a county, in which case the electors residing in each county or the part of the county embraced in the Senatorial district shall be entitled to elect one Committeeman.

When and where do the State Committeemen meet?

Answer: The State Committeemen meet at a time and place designated by the Chairman of each respective party.

What are the duties of the State and National Committeemen?

Answer: These committees do all the work of politics except the voting. They organize political clubs, arrange for political mass meetings and processions; they solicit funds for campaign purposes and in every possible way promote and defend the interest of their respective parties.

What special power has the National Committee?

Answer: It issues the call for the nomination convention to choose nominees for Presidential electors.

GENERAL ELECTIONS.

When are General elections held?

Answer: The General election is held biennially in each even numbered year on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

When are municipal elections held?

Answer: Municipal elections are held on the Tuesday following the first Monday in November of odd numbered years.

Are the laws affecting electors uniform?

Answer: Yes, all laws affecting electors must be uniform throughout the State.

How are the elections conducted?

Answer: All elections in Pennsylvania for public offices must be by ballot and secrecy in voting must be preserved.

How are the official ballots printed?

Answer: The official ballots are so printed that every voter has an opportunity to indicate his choice of candidates by making a cross mark (X) in a square at the right of the name of each candidate whose name is on the ticket and in like manner answers to indicate their approval or disapproval of a Constitutional Amendment or other question submitted by similar marks in squares at the right of the words "yes" and "no" and on the ballot instructions may be printed to aid the voter to do this as "Mark 1," "Mark 2," and the like.

What special instructions are printed at the head of every ballot?

Answer: At the head of every ballot shall be printed the following instructions: To vote the straight party ticket mark a cross (X) in the square opposite the name of the party of your choice, in the first column. A cross mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate.

Who provides the official ballots?

Answer: The County Commissioners of each county provide the ballots for each election district.

How many official ballots are provided?

Answer: There are seventy-five official ballots provided for every fifty and fraction of fifty voters in every county, as shown by the Assessors' list.

Are any further instructions provided for voters besides the instructions printed on the ballots?

Answer: Yes, the County Commissioners in every county shall prepare and have printed in large type special cards of instruction which shall contain information as to the method of obtaining ballots, as to the manner of marking and the method of gaining assistance if necessary, and as to the method of obtaining new ballots in case the first one should be accidentally spoiled.

What are Specimen Ballots?

Answer: Specimen Ballots are copies of the official ballot printed on tinted paper without the facsimile endorsements.

What is the purpose of these Specimen Ballots?

Answer: They are provided by law for use with the instruction cards at every voting booth for the enlightenment of voters.

What is the minimum number of voters that is required to form an election district?

Answer: No election district may contain less than one hundred voters.

Who has the authority to form election districts?

Answer: The Court of Quarter Sessions shall have authority within their respective counties to divide any borough, ward or township into two or more election districts, or to form an election district out of two or more adjoining townships so as to suit the convenience of the inhabitants thereof.

What other authority has this Court in relation to elections?

Answer: The Quarter Sessions Court fixes the place of holding elections.

Who are entitled to vote at General and Municipal elections?

Answer: Any person whose name is on the register shall be entitled to vote at any General, Special, Municipal or Primary elections, unless it can be shown to the satisfaction of the election officers that he is no longer a resident of the district where he is registered.

Is there any case where an elector shall be entitled to vote in his respective district if he is not registered nor assessed, nor paid the usual taxes?

Answer: Yes, any soldier, sailor or marine who has been prevented, by his absence in service, from being registered and assessed and from having paid the usual taxes shall, if he returns in time for the election, be entitled to vote as a soldier, sailor or marine.

What is necessary for such soldier,

sailor or marine to do in order to be entitled to vote?

Answer: He must produce evidence satisfactory to the election officers that he is entitled to vote as a soldier, sailor or marine, and must produce for the election officers a receipt from the tax collector showing that he has paid a county tax of 10 cents.

Can a soldier, sailor or marine, if absent in the service, either by the call of the President of the United States or by the authority of the Commonwealth, enjoy the right of suffrage?

Answer: Yes, if such a soldier, sailor or marine, absent in service, is a qualified elector, he may enjoy the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens under such regulations as may be prescribed by the law, as fully as if he were present at the usual place of election.

PINE GROVE MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamill Glenn attended the Lewisburg fair last week.

W. F. Thompson and family spent Sunday with relatives in Bellefonte.

George Koch motored to Petersburg on a business trip on Monday.

Farmer C. M. Powley is having considerable trouble with one of his eyes.

George Bell and wife, of Spruce Creek, were callers here on Sunday evening.

J. Matthey Corl has the banner crop of clover seed up to this time—twenty-four bushels.

Miss Irene Pletcher was at Howard on Friday attending the funeral of a girlhood friend.

James A. Gummo, of Altoona, was an over Sunday visitor at his parental home at Fairbrook.

Rev. A. M. Lutton spent the fore part of the week with his wife and baby daughter in Altoona.

After a three week's outing at Atlantic City Miss Sarah McWilliams returned home on Saturday.

Otis A. Corl lost a good horse last Friday, which died of lockjaw, the result of tramping on a rusty nail.

George Smith and wife, of Altoona, spent the first day of the week at the J. R. Smith home on east Main street.

H. G. Tussey and son, H. B. and Sherrod Moore, all of Stonevalley, were here last week in search of stock.

Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, of State College, were callers at the Methodist parsonage Saturday afternoon.

Dr. J. C. Baumgardner shipped a carload of lambs from Pennsylvania Furnace to eastern markets last Saturday.

W. K. Corl, with his daughter Esther and Mary Reed motored to Williamsport on Wednesday to consult a physician.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dale, with Mr. Dale's mother and sister Anna, spent Sunday at the H. A. McGirk home in Bellefonte.

Charles Henderson last week sold his farm near Marengo to Lloyd Barr for \$5,500. Ira Gates will tenant the same next year.

M. E. Heberling and sister, Miss E. May Heberling, of State College, spent Saturday afternoon here on a business mission.

I. O. Campbell last week received a double-decked carload of lambs from Pittsburgh to add to his flock on his farm at Fairbrook.

Will Wagner, wife and daughter motored down from Altoona on Saturday and spent several days with relatives in the valley.

Mrs. Susan Fry came down from the Mountain city last Thursday and spent the day with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Belle Kimpport.

George Bell and Dent Ingram attended the big fair at Hagerstown, Md., last week and also visited the Antietan battlefield.

The heating furnace installed recently in the Lutheran parsonage proved a failure and it is being replaced with a new one.

The ladies will hold a Hallow'en social in the Grange hall at Rock Springs on the evening of October 29th. Everybody is invited.

Rev. Mr. Davis will preach in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. He is a candidate for the vacancy on the charge.

Albert Smeltzer, of Pleasant Gap; ex-sheriff Cyrus Brungard and Geo. Emerick, of Centre Hall, attended the Bailey farm sale here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Johnson, of Bellwood, made a flying trip down the valley last Thursday and tarried a brief time at the W. E. Johnson home.

Henry C. Dale is arranging to move to a house on north Thomas street, where he will take the position of milk and cream tester at the new milk station in Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Weiland spent Thursday at State College, shopping and in consultation with a physician regarding Mrs. Weiland's health, which has not been the best of late.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams, J. A. Fortney and wife and Mr. and Mrs.

A. B. Musser took a motor trip to Centre Hall on Sunday, returning by way of Linden Hall and State College.

Paul Kimpport, son of Samuel Kimpport, came home from Elmira, N. Y., and has hired for a year to work for J. Matthew Goheen on the farm.

F. E. Naginey, Democratic candidate for Assembly, circulated among the voters in the valley last week, and of course everybody promised to support him.

Squire E. M. Watt and A. S. Bailey motored to the county capital on Monday to transact some legal business in connection with the settlement of the Bailey estate.

Word has been received here of the arrival ten days ago of a new baby boy in the Roy Gates home in Indianapolis. Mr. Gates is an old Ferguson township boy and his friends here extend congratulations.

A well known lady of this place had a suit case stolen or lost from her car on a trip to State College on Saturday. The suit case contained a new dress and other things of value, and so far no trace of it has been found.

The venerable D. L. Dennis visited his old-time friend, Lem Osman, at Pine Hall, last Friday, where both of them spent their boyhood days. Mr. Osman has been somewhat under the weather since the veteran picnic at Centre Hall but is now improving.

George Woods and wife, of Pitcairn, spent a few days here as guests of the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Woods. They were in Atlantic City last week where Mr. Woods was a delegate at the convention of the American electric railway men, stopping off here on their return home.

Word has been received here of the death last week of Jared Irvin, at his home in Sistersville, Va. He was born at Manor Hill and was one of a family of twelve boys and four girls. He served during the Civil war and most of his life since had been spent in Virginia. Burial was made last Friday.

Miss Ruth Watt, daughter of mercantile E. M. Watt, graduated at the Williamsport business college last week with high honors. After a brief visit at her home here she will go to Pittsburgh where she has already accepted a position as stenographer for a large business concern, until January first, when she expects to be transferred to Lancaster.

The trustees of the Reformed church at Pine Hall are looking for the bunch of roughnecks who broke into the church last Friday night by knocking out a panel of the door. Some of the furniture of the church was turned topsy-turvy and cigar and cigarette stumps and ashes were found on the floor. One of the collection trays is also missing. An empty whiskey bottle outside the church indicated that the vandals were at least drinking if not drunk.

West Ferguson farm land received quite a boost at the public sale of the Bailey farm near here last Saturday. Quite a number of bidders were present but the sale started with such a spirited-sput that only a few of them

had even a look-in. The principal bidders were John Dreibleis, Prof. Gardner and Prof. Anderson, and the latter outbid the others and got the farm for \$18,000. Of course, it is a big price, but then it is one of the best farms in this section.

Rev. A. M. Lutton held his last service in the Lutheran church here last Sunday, for the time being, as the church is to be thoroughly overhauled and remodeled. The pastor announced that practically sufficient funds were in sight to pay for the work and the contractors are ready to begin, as it is the desire of the congregation to have the job completed for a big reopening by Christmas time. In the meantime services will be held in the other churches at convenient hours.

LEMONT.

The winter apples are about all gathered and the cider and applebuttermade.

A flock of wild geese passed over these parts one night last week. Look for colder weather.

The corn in this section is considered the best crop that has been harvested in many years.

Alfred Jonhstonbaugh and wife spent a few days this week among friends in these parts.

John R. Williams and wife, who

have been on the sick list for some time, are not improving very fast.

Jacob Jackson Jr. is the champion apple picker in these parts, having picked from 115 to 118 bushels a day.

H. N. Kerns is moving from the J. W. Klinger house to the Thompson house, which he purchased. Good luck to them.

Mr. Fagen, who has a number of orchards leased, has shipped eight or ten cars of apples so far and is not through picking.

Monday morning while Irvin Rishel was on his way to school at State College, John Snyder ran into him, throwing him from his bicycle to the ditch, injuring his arm and leg, but he was lucky in not having any bones broken.

Nuns Requested to Vote.

Baltimore.—Supplementing his general advice to women to register and vote, Cardinal Gibbons issued an oral statement through his secretary urging sisters of the various orders of the church to take similar steps.

In his message to the sisters the cardinal emphasized the fact that they were in no sense forced to register and vote, but that, nevertheless, it was a duty which belonged to them in common with other women. He recommended strongly that this duty be observed.

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