

**What the "Y" is Doing. Give it Your Support.**

The Bellefonte Y. M. C. A. last week celebrated its 53rd birthday anniversary, and it might be interesting to note some of the activities and various phases of work as carried on by the Association about twenty years ago.

The Hugh McA. Beaver memorial gymnasium was opened in 1906, and immediately classes in physical culture were started. Great interest was shown by both old and young and the rivalry was keen in the various lines of indoor sports. Senior and junior gymnasium teams, basket ball teams, bowling groups, and other teams were formed, crowding the gymnasium most of the time. In May, 1906, the hiking club was formed, making the initial tramp a hike to Point McCoy. On June 13th, 1906, the first field day was held at the old fair grounds, and the program included runs, dashes, relays, races, etc.

The boys' bible study class was organized November 15th, 1906, with twenty-seven members, and continued its splendid work for almost three months. On the same evening the mens' bible class was instituted with an enrollment of twenty-one.

An evening school was also organized for the benefit of the boys who worked during the day. There also were classes in mechanical drawing, a glee club and a camera club.

Other features of the Y. M. C. A. might be mentioned but most interesting just now is a bird's eye glimpse into the future. Under the able directorship of S. S. Aplin, general secretary, and Harry Mentzer, physical director, the Bellefonte Y has taken on a new lease of life, and great things are planned for the coming months.

The Bellefonte Y is without doubt the best equipped and best furnished Association in any town of ranking size in the State. With such a plant there is no reason why this organization should not be made a great, big, worth-while community centre, that will be influential for good in the town and country. The Y not only touches the life of the town but it reaches out and makes its pulse beats felt in the rural district as well. A number of boys from the country come to Bellefonte to school, and during their spare moments they may find a "home" in the Y. M. C. A., reading, writing, studying, or taking physical exercises. Thus the Y is doing a fine piece of extraordinary work.

Among the pressing needs are beds and bedding. If the rooms were renovated and some furnishings purchased it would be possible to accommodate, in the sleeping quarters, fifteen or twenty men. This rooming arrangement would fill a great need, and it would also provide revenues for the upkeep of the building.

Unique and unusual is Secretary Aplin's idea of having a shooting gallery in the basement of the building, starting about the end of November. This attraction will give the local nimrods and lovers of firearms ample opportunity to test their skill during the long winter evenings.

Three hundred volumes will comprise the boys' library to be opened to the public next month. This feature will likely prove quite popular among the town and country boys, as the books will be of the highest type, interesting, clean, and instructive. More books are needed and if the secretary is notified the books will be called for.

Many inquiries are being made as to the swimming pool. It requires \$1,200 a year to operate the pool, and about \$3,500 is needed to put it in good shape, thus making the first year's expenses about \$4,700. At present the finances are too low to attempt any work on the pool but as soon as possible it will be put in shape.

During the winter a course of popular entertainments will be put on by extra high-class talent, and these enjoyable presentations should prove very attractive.

At present there are nine gymnasium classes in full swing, and there is great enthusiasm in this department. Physical director Mentzer has classes for business men, seniors, students, juniors, young women and girls; while bowling, basket ball, volley ball and other indoor sports are going strong.

In Pennsylvania there are 104,500 persons enrolled as members of the 185 Y. M. C. A. organizations. The current expenses last year were \$3,533,000, while the net property and funds total over \$17,000,000. The Y. M. C. A. is a great, world-wide organization, operating in every country, and doing a splendid piece of work. The local Y can be made a community centre from which will radiate high ideals and uplifting influences. It will mean to Bellefonte and the country better citizenship and stronger Christian character, and if it does mean that, then every man, woman and child should get behind the great movement and exert every energy to promote the welfare of the Y and make it a mighty and potent factor in the upbuilding of the town and community.

The first oil well in the United States was drilled in 1859 and yielded about 25 barrels a day. The production of the country during August of this year was at the rate of 1,493,387 barrels a day.

The "Watchman" gives all the news while it is news.

# SHERIFF'S ELECTION PROCLAMATION

God Save the Commonwealth. I, Harry Dukeman, High Sheriff of the County of Centre, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the County aforesaid that an election will be held in the said County of Centre on the **FIRST TUESDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1922, being the 7th of November, 1922**

for the purpose of electing the several persons hereinafter named, to wit:

- One person for United States Senator, for the term ending March 4, 1923.
- One person for United States Senator, for the term beginning March 4, 1923.
- One person for United States Senator, for the term ending March 4, 1927.
- One person for Governor.
- One person for Lieutenant Governor.
- One person for Secretary of Internal Affairs.
- One person for Judge of the Superior Court.
- One person for Representative in Congress.
- One person for Senator in the General Assembly.

Also to vote for or against a Proposed Amendment to Section One of Article Fifteen of the Constitution.

I also hereby make known and give notice that the place of holding elections in the several wards, boroughs, districts and townships within the County of Centre is as follows:

- For the North Ward of the borough of Bellefonte, at the Logan Hose Co. house on east Howard street.
- For the South Ward of the borough of Bellefonte, in the Undine Fire Co. Building.
- For the West Ward of the borough of Bellefonte, in the carriage shop of S. A. McQuiston, in Bellefonte.

For the borough of Centre Hall, in a room at Runkle's hotel.

For the borough of Howard, at the public school in said borough.

For the borough of Millheim, in the school house, now the Municipal building.

For the borough of Milesburg, in the borough building on Market street.

For the First Ward of the borough of Phillipsburg, in the Reliance Hose house.

For the Second Ward of the borough of Phillipsburg, at the Public Building at the corner of North Centre and Fresquele street.

For the Third Ward of the borough of Phillipsburg, at Bratton's Garage, northeast corner of Seventh and Pine Streets.

For the borough of South Phillipsburg, at the City Hall in South Phillipsburg.

For the borough of Snow Shoe, in the borough building.

For the borough of State College, East Precinct, on College Avenue at the Odd Fellows Hall.

For the borough of State College, West Precinct, on Frazier Street, at the Fireman's Hall.

For the borough of Unionville, in the Grange Hall in said borough.

For the township of Benner, north precinct, at the Knox school house.

For the township of Benner, south precinct, at the new brick school house at Rockview.

For the township of Boggs, north precinct, at Walker's school house.

For the township of Boggs, east precinct, at the hall of Knights of Labor, in the village of Curtin.

For the township of Boggs, west precinct, at the school house in Central City.

For the township of Burnside, in the building owned by William Hipple, in the village of Pine Glen.

For the township of College, at the school house in the village of Lemont.

For the township of Curtin, north precinct, at the school house in the village of Orviston.

For the township of Curtin, south precinct, at the school house near Robert Mann's.

For the township of Ferguson, east precinct, at the public house of R. R. Randolph, in Pine Grove Mills.

For the township of Ferguson, west precinct, at Baileyville School House in the village of Baileyville.

For the township of Ferguson, north precinct, at the store of H. N. Musser, one mile west of State College, at Struble station.

For the township of Ferguson, north-west precinct, at Marengo school house.

For the township of Greeg, north precinct, at Murray's school house.

For the township of Greeg, east precinct, at the house occupied by William A. Sinkabine at Penn Hall.

For the township of Greeg, west precinct, in Vocational School Room at Spring Mills.

For the township of Haines, east precinct, school house in the village of Woodward.

For the township of Haines, west precinct, at the residence of E. A. Bower.

For the township of Halfmoon, in I. O. O. F. hall, in the village of Stormstown.

For the township of Harris, east precinct, at the building owned by Harry McClellan, in the village of Linden Hall.

For the township of Harris, west precinct, at the Boat Hall in the village of Boalsburg.

For the township of Howard, in the township public building.

For the township of Huston, in the township building erected in the village of Julian.

For the township of Liberty, east precinct, at the school house in Exeterville.

For the township of Liberty, west precinct, at the school house at Monument.

For the township of Marlton, at the Grange Hall in the village of Jacksonville.

For the township of Miles, east precinct, at the dwelling house of G. H. Showers, at Wolf's Store.

For the township of Miles, middle precinct, in Bank building, at Rebersburg.

For the township of Miles, west precinct, at the store room of Elias Miller, in Madisonburg.

For the township of Patton, in the shop of John Hoy at Waddle.

For the township of Penn, in a building formerly owned by Luther Gulsewite, at Coburn.

For the township of Potter, north precinct, at the Old Fort house.

For the township of Potter, south precinct, at the hotel in the village of Potters Mills.

For the township of Potter, west precinct, at the store of George Mess, at Colyer.

For the township of Rush, north precinct, at the Township Poor House.

For the township of Rush, east precinct, at the school house in the village of Cassanova.

For the township of Rush, south precinct, at the school house in the village of Powelton.

For the township of Rush, west precinct, at the school house near Ocosola Mills known as the Tower school house.

For the township of Snow Shoe east precinct, at the school house in the village of Clarence.

For the township of Snow Shoe, west precinct, at the house of Alonza A. Groe, in the village of Moshannon.

For the township of Spring, north precinct, at the township building erected near Malory's blacksmith shop.

For the township of Spring, south precinct, at the public house formerly owned by J. Van C. Mullinger, in Pleasant Gap.

For the township of Spring, west precinct, in the township building at Coleville.

For the township of Taylor, in the house erected for the purpose at Leonard Merryman's.

For the township of Union, in the township public building.

For the township of Walker, east precinct, in a building owned by Solomon Peck in the village of Huston.

For the township of Walker, middle precinct, in Grange Hall in the village of Hub-

bersburg.

For the township of Walker, west precinct, at the dwelling house of John Boyer, in the village of Zion.

For the township of Worth, in the hall of the Knights of the Golden Eagle, in the village of Port Matilda.

**List of Nominations.**

The official list of nominations made by the several parties, and as their names will appear upon the ticket to be voted on the 7th day of November, 1922, at the different voting places in Centre County, as certified to respectively by the Secretary of the Commonwealth are given in the accompanying form of ballot, which is similar to the official ballot. Notice is hereby given that every person excepting Justice of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the Government of the United States or this State, or of any city or incorporated district whether a commissioned officer or otherwise a subordinate officer or agent who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary department of this State, or of the United States or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district is, by law, incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of judge, inspector or clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no inspector, judge or other officer of any such elections, shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for, except that of an election officer.

Under the law of the Commonwealth for holding elections, the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock A. M. and closed at 7 o'clock, P. M. Given under my hand and seal at my office in Bellefonte, this 15th day of October in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty two and in the one hundred and forty-sixth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

**HARRY DUKEMAN (Seal)**  
Sheriff of Centre County

## SPECIMEN BALLOT

To vote a straight party ticket, mark a cross (X) in the square, in the first column, opposite the name of the party of your choice  
A cross mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate  
To vote for a person whose name is not on the ballot, write or paste his or her name in the blank space provided for that purpose  
To vote for an individual candidate of another party after making a mark in the party square, mark a cross (X) opposite his or her name  
For an office where more than one candidate is to be elected, the voter, after marking in the party square, may divide his or her vote by marking a cross (X) to the right of each candidate for whom he or she desires to vote. For such office votes shall not be counted for candidates not individually marked

**FIRST COLUMN**

To Vote a Straight Party Ticket, Mark a Cross (X) in This Column.

|               |                          |
|---------------|--------------------------|
| Republican    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Democratic    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Socialist     | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Prohibition   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Industrialist | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Progressive   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Single Tax    | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| UNITED STATES SENATOR<br>(For the term ending March 4, 1923)<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| David A. Reed, Republican   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Wm. J. Van Essen, Socialist   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Rachel C. Robinson, Prohibition   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Thomas J. Davis, Single Tax   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| UNITED STATES SENATOR<br>(For the term beginning March 4, 1923)<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
| David A. Reed, Republican  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Samuel E. Shull, Democratic  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Charles Sehl, Socialist  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Rachel C. Robinson, Prohibition  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| William J. Burke, Progressive  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Charles J. Schoales, Single Tax  | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| UNITED STATES SENATOR<br>(For the term ending March 4, 1927)<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| George Wharton Pepper, Republican   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Fred B. Kerr, Democratic  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| William J. Van Essen, Socialist   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Frank C. Lewis, Prohibition   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Earl W. Thompson, Progressive   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| James A. Robinson, Single Tax   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| GOVERNOR<br>(Vote for One.)      |                          |
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| Gifford Pinchot, Republican      | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| John A. McSparran, Democratic    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Lilith Martin Wilson, Socialist  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| William Repp, Prohibition        | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| William H. Thomas, Industrialist | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| John W. Dix, Single Tax          | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
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| David J. Davis, Republican             | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Robert E. Pattison, Jr., Democratic    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Geo. A. Coleman, Socialist             | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| R. E. English, Prohibition             | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| William Kromm, Industrialist           | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hugo W. Noren, Single Tax              | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| SECRETARY OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
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| James Fleming Woodward, Republican               | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| A. Marshall Thompson, Democratic                 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mary Winsor, Socialist                           | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Ella Broomell, Prohibition                       | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Thomas E. North, Industrialist                   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Charles I. Donbar, Progressive                   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Lewis Ryan, Single Tax                           | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
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| Robert S. Gawthrop, Republican                 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Henry C. Niles, Democratic                     | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Charles Palmer, Prohibition                    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| William G. Wright, Single Tax                  | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| William Irvin Swoope, Republican              | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| J. Frank Snyder, Democratic                   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Elisha Kent Kane, Prohibition                 | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| SENATOR IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
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| Harry B. Scott, Republican                         | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| William I. Betts, Democratic                       | <input type="checkbox"/> |

| REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY<br>(Vote for One.) |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| Thomas B. Beaver, Republican                              | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Zoe Meek, Democratic                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> |

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION**  
A cross (X) marked in the square at the right of the word "YES" indicates a vote FOR the Amendment  
A cross (X) marked in the square at the right of the word "NO" indicates a vote AGAINST the Amendment.

| PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION NO. 1<br>Shall Section One of Article Fifteen of the Constitution be Amended to Read as Follows?  |  | YES | NO |                          |                          |
|--|--|-----|----|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Section 1. Cities may be chartered whenever a majority of the electors of any town or borough having a population of at least ten thousand shall vote at any general or municipal election in favor of the same. Cities or cities of any particular class, may be given the right and power to frame and adopt their own charters and to exercise the powers and authority of local self government, subject, however, to such restrictions, limitations, and regulations, as may be imposed by the Legislature. Laws also may be enacted affecting the organization and government of cities and boroughs, which shall become effective in any city or borough only when submitted to the electors thereof, and approved by a majority of those voting thereon. |  |     |    | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |