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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1898. Stone is elected Governor by about 100,000 plurality.

The Republican majority in the next Congress will be about 12.

France and England are attracting considerable interest at present. France is making all sorts of preparations for war, but she won't fight.

There is a gain of six Democratic Congressmen in this state, the successful candidates being Barber in the 8th district, Davenport in the 12th, Ryan in the 13th, Polk in the 17th, Sibley in the 27th, and Hall in the 28th.

President McKinley has issued the annual Thanksgiving proclamation, fixing Thursday, November 24, as the day for its observance. Those who honor his observance—and few American citizens do not—should not fail to read the short enumeration of the things we are to be thankful for contained in the President's proclamation.

THE ELECTION.

Columbia County Democracy has honored itself by giving a good old time majority for the Democratic candidate for Governor. For some years past the majorities have been small, owing to factional fights that have unfortunately existed, to the detriment of the party.

Results not in the Election Table.

Watkins, People's party for Lieut Governor, had votes as follows: Greenwood W. 4, Bloom 2nd. dist. 3, Bloom 1st., 3rd, 4th 3, Briarcreek, Catawissa, and S. W. Conyngham, 2 each 12, Benton twp., Berwick N. E., Berwick N. W., Centralia 2nd., Fishingcreek E., Jackson, Montour, and Scott E. 1 each. 8

Total, 27. Logan, People's party, for Secretary of Internal Affairs, had 1 vote in each of the following:

Benton twp., Berwick N. E., Bloom 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, Catawissa Boro., Conyngham W. N. and S. W. and Jackson, and 2 in Orange.

Barnes, Thomas and Peters, Socialist Labor candidates, each had 1 vote in Benton township and Catawissa Boro.

Huston, Peoples party, had 24 votes scattered around. Johnson had 9 votes. Root, Socialist Labor, had 4, and Munro had 2. Guss and Shaw, Liberty party, each had 1 vote in the county.

J. B. Knittle, independent candidate for Assembly, had 28 votes in the county, 18 of which were cast in Catawissa borough.

COUNTY MAJORITIES.

The following are the majorities given for Democratic candidates in Columbia County at last Tuesday's election:

Table with 2 columns: Candidate Name and Majority Count. Includes Governor (Jenks Stone), Congress (Polk Woodin), Judge (Little Scarlet), State Senator (Cochran Culver), and District Majorities (Mr. Polk, Robert R. Little Esq., J. Henry Cochran).

Mr. Polk is elected to Congress by the following majorities: Columbia, 1183; Montour, 1107; Sullivan, 209.

Woodin's majority in Northumberland is 270. Polk over Woodin 2229.

Robert R. Little Esq., is elected President Judge. His majority in this county is 1254. James Scarlet Esq., carries Montour by a majority of 539, leaving Mr. Little a majority in the district of 715.

J. Henry Cochran is re-elected State Senator by the following majorities: Columbia, 1556; Montour, 718; Sullivan, 197; Lycoming, 3141.

Majority over Culver 5612. Creasy, 4602; Chrisman, 4470; McKillip, 3208; Goldsworthy, 2829; Creasy over McKillip, 1394; Chrisman over McKillip, 1262.

Facts About Porto Rico.

Porto Rico is an island 95 miles long and 35 miles wide, containing 3,668 square miles—about half the size of New Jersey. Vieque, an island 13 miles east of Porto Rico, is 21 miles long and six miles wide. The population is 950,000 of which 300,000 or more are negroes, and 90,000 native Spaniards.

For Trespassers.

The time of the year is here when farmer and trucker is almost at his wits end to keep gunners and trespassers off his premises. Fruit and nuts are considered common property by many people who are considered honest in other matters.

Of Interest to Poultry Raisers.

An Iowa farmer, studying economy, mixed sawdust with the cornmeal fed to the chickens. It worked so well that he gradually reduced the quantity of meal, until the ration was all sawdust.

It is said that the Galland Bros. underwear factories at Pittston, are working on a \$90,000 contract for John Wanamaker.

Mrs. Mary Faus Rosborough.

This fallen to us to chronicle the death of Mrs. Mary Faus Rosborough of Bowen, Colorado, who went to her rest on the 28th day of October, 1898.

Mary Faus, daughter of W. P. and Anna Faus of Pine township was born December 14th, 1863. Under the teaching and influence of a home, where the "lowly Man of Nazareth," is enthroned as ruler and King, Mary grew up in "the fear and admonition of the Lord."

As a teacher she was loved of her students; as a friend and associate, agreeable, obliging and kind; as a Christian worker she was zealous, active, progressive; as a true character, virtuous, pure, good; as a soul meet for heaven: God took her.

R. J. A.

Court Proceedings.

Court convened Monday at ten o'clock a. m., with President Judge Grant Herring and Associate J. U. Kurtz on the bench.

Geo. S. Miller was appointed inspector of election of Mifflin twp., to fill vacancy caused by T. E. Aten being in jail.

Bond of Uloyd Bomboy trustee for sale of real estate of Isabella Bomboy, deceased approved.

Emma Metherell vs. Thomas Metherell, Divorce decreed.

Bond of Administrator of Wm. H. Yetter, late of Bloomsburg, deceased, approved.

Thomas Jones appointed Inspector of election of 4th district in Bloomsburg to fill vacancy caused by resignation of John Tracy.

Estate of Mary P. Wolf, deceased. Partition. Rule to dismiss proceedings. On motion and argument it is submitted to Hon. H. M. McClure for opinion. Adjourned to Thursday November 10th at two p. m.

An exchange warns its readers against being entrapped by the wiles of a slick swindler who is working farmers and boarding house keepers in the western part of the State.

The swindler calls himself Thompson and he says he is a millionaire. According to the Greensburg Tribune he is a fraud of the first water and neglects to pay for his boarding and lodging.

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The constables of the state, of which there is an army, are awaiting with the greatest concern the decision of the Supreme Court in a case which has just been argued at Pittsburg.

According to old hunters, the largest deer that was ever killed on the North Mountain was shot by a party of hunters from Harveyville Thursday. It weighed 240 pounds dressed.

The Canton Fair Association this year came out \$250, behind actual expenses. Only 50 cents on the dollar will be paid out in premiums.

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