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THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 1902. ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR STATE SENATOR, J. HENRY COCHRAN, of Lycoming Co.

Senatorial Conferrees of the 24th tion of B. W. Hagenbuch, the tempo-District.

FOR CONGRESS, ANDREW L. FRIIZ,

of Bloomsburg. Subject to the decision of the Congressional Conferrees of the 17th District.

[The following announcements] are subject to the decision of the Esq., of Bloomsburg. Democratic party of Columbia / County:]

FOR COUNTY TREASURER, JOHN S. MENSCH, of Montour Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, (North Side) GEO. W. STERNER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, CLEM R. WEISS, of Bloomsburg.

Placed a Ticket in the Field and Adjourned in Twenty Minutes. The Republicans of this county in convention on Monday performed

their business in record breaking time, completing the entire program in about twenty minutes. County Chairman, A. W. Duy called the meeting to order and asked for nominations for a temporary chairman. Prof. G. E. Wilbur was named and he took the chair. The organization was completed by the election of J. C. Cryder of Willow Springs, and C. E. Kreisher, Esq. of Catawissa, secre-taries, and C. C. Yetter, Esq. of Bloomsburg, reading clerk.

UANDIDATES NAMED.

The Republican Convention Met, Organized,

After the reading of the list of dele Subject to the decision of the gates and committeemen, upon morary organization was made permanent, and the convention proceeded to place a ticket in the field. The nominations are as follows: For Associate Judge-Hon. J. U.

Kurtz, of Berwick. For Members of the Legislature-C. E. Kreisher, Esq., of Catawissa, and W. A. Butt, of Benton.

For District Attorney-A. W. Duy, For Prothonotary-David D. Dyke,

of Centralia. For County Treasurer-I. K. Laubach, of Benton township. For Register and Recorder-

George P. Stiner, of Orangeville. For County Commissioner-Rich-

ter W. Smith, of Mifflin township. of Millville.

Delegate to the State Convention

conferees.

PENNSYLVANIA DEMOORAOY.

If Quay is sincere in his opposi-tion to Elkin, the Republican party about at hand. And the hand shaking is torn by dissensions. What we time belongs to the same season. want to do is to present a candidate Another oil well will be sunk in who can command the respect of the people. Robert E. Pattison has been twice elected Governor under similar conditions. We believe that ASST. CASHIER he can carry the state again. For this reason we are for Pattison for

> Governor. He is a comparatively young man, and his reputation for honesty, integrity and ability are fully established. Let us have Pattison for a candidate for Governor.

Col. James E. Guffey is the acknowledged leader of the Pennsylvania Democracy. In that position he has shown his efficency in a wise and capable manner. Pennsylvania needs men in the United States Sen- this summer. ate who are possessed of broad statesmanship, and who will legislate for the benefit of the whole country, and not alone for the benefit of the political party to which they belong.

for United States Senator. Let us have Pattison and Guffey, and Pennsylvania may once again be wrested from the domination of infamous machine rule.

Oreasy to Remain Chairman.

William T. Creasy, Democratic State Chairman, spent several hours in Wilkes-Barre last Friday conferring with prominent Luzerne county Democrats.

Creasy declared that he is a candidate tor re-election and does not expect to have any opposition.

In discussing the outlook, he said the dissensions in the Republican party were growing wider and wider, the atmosphere would warrant the and instead of the peremptory order of Senator Quay to retire Elkin having healed the breach, it has widened it vastly. The manner in which it was done was especially offensive, Creasy said, and Elkin was treated more like a dog than a trusted henchman. It is this that rankles most in the breasts of his friends.

The State chairman said that in a very few days the whole facts regarding the ripper bill and kindred acts of legislation will be brought to light, and then it will be seen that the acts Normal teachers. were passed to pay some political debts of Senator Quay's.

Mr. Creasy was re-elected State Chairman yesterday.

Bond Holders Unknown-

Since the purchase some weeks ago of the Wilkesbarre & Western railroad by the bondholder's protective For County Auditor-V. P. Eves, committee no attempt has been made Sunday. to reorganize the company. W. Jay Turner, chairman of the committee, -A. W. Duy, Esq., uninstructed. Alternate-C. D. Eaton, of Berwick. For State Senator-C. C. Yetter, all or as many of the outstanding bonds all or as many of the outstanding bonds | Emanuel. Esq., with power to appoint his own as possible deposited with the committee. So far \$645,000 out of \$620,- in Scranton this week visiting their 000 outstanding have been deposited. daughter, Mrs. Burton Fister. On conferees from this county to meet of many of the holders are unknown. attend Presbytery. -Standard.

EAST BENTON.

Another oil well will be sunk in the vicinity of Fairmount Springs. The people are bound to test the oil deposits in our locality, for everybody smells oil in the air.

Ben Gibbons, who works for Judge Krickbaum, killed a black snake four feet in length. But this was only a young one and of diminutive size. Last Monday we had a change of weather with a rising temperature.

There will be but few fishes this season as the great spring floods washed all the fish to shore and they could not follow the receding waters to the streams. We think that the people will not be bothered with "suckers'

" Haw "-" gee "-" whoa "-" gitep "-- "haw-a-bout," " ga-lang," is the music one hears in every neighborhood just now. And the fields are being turned over as rapidly as possi-Col. Guffey is such a man. For ble preparatory to planting of summer this reason we are for Col. Guffey crops. And where's the girl that doesn't envy the farmer's wife? But, "laws," just look at the farmer boys! And they are legion that want wives.

A party of sports, from this place expect to go to Rough's pond fishing this Thursday.

Miss Mary Tubbs, of Elk Grove was sewing for Mrs. Sally Ashelman of this place, last week.

Quite a batch of our roads have already been repaired in the supervisorship of Philip Gibbons. When the company locate their oil

plant at Fairmount Springs, we will be entirely lost as to oil news. The time for forest fires is again here and the smoky appearance of

belief of its existance.

ORANGEVILLE NEWS.

Jesse Freas is able to be out again. Miss Etta Hirlinger is again at Mr. Ricketts.

Miss Alice Hall of Bloomsburg, spent last Friday in town with friends. Rollin White is studying music under the instruction of one of the

The Orangeville Band gave the first of its open air concerts on Monday evening. The progress made by the members of the band is indeed remarkable, and we are looking forward with pleasure to its summer concerts.

Messrs. Wm. Quick and Guy Sleppy were the guests of Zehnder Low on

The foundation for Mr. G. S. Fleckenstine's new house is completed. Mr. Fleckenstine has a very efficient boss (?) in the person of

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Ladies' suit made of Basket Cloth, double breasted Jacket with peblum on the bottom of jacket, skirt trimmed with cord Of the bonds still out the where abouts the way they stopped at Berwick to stitching. All the new spring shades regular price \$11.50, reduced to \$9.98 Ladies' Suit made of Basket Cloth, Eaton Jacket, silk faced lapels. Skirt trimmed with stitching, all the Spring shades. Regular price \$12.00, reduced to \$9 98.

Miss Bessie Appleman has returned

home from Benton.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER. WILLIAM BOGERT, of Scott Twp.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER, A. B. CROOP, of Briarcreek Twp.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, ALEXANDER KNOUSE. of Jackson Twp.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, WILLIAM KRICKBAUM, of Bloomsburg.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, C. A. SMALL, of Catawissa.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, HON. FRED. IKELER. of Bloomsburg.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, HON. WILLIAM T. CREASY. of Catawissa Township.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS, C. M. TERWILLIGER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS, R. R. ZARR, of Bloomsburg.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS, JOHN K. MILLER, of Bloomsburg.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER, C. RUTTER, JR., L of Bloomsburg.

> FOR COUNTY AUDITOR, GEO. H. SHARPLESS, of Catawissa.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, (South Side) WILLIAM H. FISHER, of Main Twp.

Over one hundred acres of woodland on Montour Ridge, the property of P. H. Cotner and the Reading Iron Company, were destroyed by a forest fire on Tuesday.

H. A. McKillip moved that the chairman be empowered to appoint with conferees of other counties, for the election of a candidate for Congress. The motion was seconded and carried.

> The county chairman, by a motion made by C. E. Geyer, of Catawissa, and duly seconded, was vested with authority to fill any vacancies that may occur by reason of death, withdrawal, or other cause.

A motion for adjournment was then hurriedly made, but while it was waiting for a second, some one in the rear of the room wanted to know whether or not the delegate to the State Convention was to go instruct-ed. There was a noticeable hesitancy on the part of the Chairman, but he

was promptly reminded that a motion to adjourn was before him, and of course the interrogatory in regard to the state delegate was not answered.

Outside of this feature, there wasn' a vestige of interest manifested.

At a meeting of the County Committee, held immediately after the convention adjourned A. W. Duy was reelected County Chairman and H. A. M'Killip, secretary.

Elbert Hubbard in the Toils.

In the Supreme Court at Buffalo last week, an order was issued compelling Elbert Hubbard to admit in writing that he is able to pay \$10 a week to keep a child, of which he is alleged to be the father, or appear before a reteree and explain his finances.

In 1894 Hubbard and a Miss Moore lived together as man and wife. The cohabitation covered a period of over a year. At this time they took to W. H. Woodworth, ot Buffalo, a brother to Miss Moore, a child of which they admitted parentage, and for who's support he agreed to pay Woodworth \$10 a week. He paid for a few weeks only, and Woodworth supported the child till last summer,

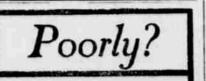
when he began action. Mr. Hubbard is a lecturer. He appeared in Bloomsburg in the early part of this winter.

Sweeping Keduction.

Sheet music sale commencing May 1st, 1902. For ten days only at Thomas' Music Store. Pieces marked \$1.00, 90, 85, 80, 75, 60, 40, 35 and 30 cents all to go for ten cents per sheet at Thomas' Music Store, Main his parents. Street, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Hurley Miller is now a soldier. He left town on Monday and went to Wilkes-Barre where he enlisted for service in the Philippines.

Keene, the magician, gave an entertainment in the Opera House on Monday night. What he does, he does well, but so many of his tricks have been done by others for so many years that they have lost their novelty. The stage was so dark that he could have taken an elephant out of a derby hat and no one would have seen where it came from.



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Mr. John Smith has finished his new barn.

Among the Bloomsburg visitors Saturday were Miss Ella Stewart, Carl Fleckenstine, Mr. L. H. Dennis, Ray Travelpiece, Mearle Cooke and Arthur Appleman.

Will Monroe spent Sunday with

Miss Mary Achenbach is once more able to be out of doors.

Next Sunday evening Dr. Martyn will preach his farewell sermon. He has just returned from Presbytery.

Mrs. Bittenbender of Bloomsburg, spent last week with Mrs. J. W. Conner.

Burglers At Rupert.

Thieves visited L. H. Boody's residence at Rupert Tuesday morning and completely cleaned out the larder. All the edibles in sight was taken, as well as a large crock of milk. They had their nerve right with them as they feasted on the stolen provision within the very shadow of the house. All the dishes were left under one of the large trees in the yard. Mr. Boody and family had only a few days ago returned home from a visit to New Jersey.

Poor Directors Organize.

The Board of Poor Directors of the Centralia-Conyngham district met last week at A. T. Conway's restaurant, Centralia, and made the appointments for the ensuing year. The board is constituted of three members, they being: B. J. Doyle, John Murray and William Harris. The appointments were made by B. J. Doyle and William Harris, and are as follows: Treasurer, Mrs. C. G. Murphy; clerk, Patrick Quigley; steward at the almshouse, Patrick Rowan.

Married.

EVANS AND HUMMEL-on April 19, at the home of the bride, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. Jacob Evans and Miss Sarah E. Hummel, both of Fishing- Illustrated catalogue 4 cts. samps. creek township.

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