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Political Announcements.

Subject to the Rules of the Democratic Party.

Primary Election Saturday, June 6th, 3 to 7 P. M.

FOR SHERIFF

H. F. DIEFFENBACH, of Bloomsburg.

FOR SHERIFF

CHARLES B. ENT, of Bloomsburg.

FOR SHERIFF

B. F. RICE, of East Scott.

FOR SHERIFF

W. W. BLACK, of Bloomsburg.

PRIMARY ELECTION CALL.

Notice is hereby given to the Democratic voters of Columbia county that the primary election for the purpose of voting to place in nomination, the following candidates, to wit:

One person for Sheriff. One person for Jury Commissioner. One person for Coroner. Five persons for Delegates to the State Convention.

Will be held at the regular polling places (or if such places cannot be obtained then at a place in said district convenient to the regular polling place, which shall be determined by the member of the Standing Committee and the election board of such district where the regular polling place cannot be obtained) on Saturday, June 6th, 1903, between the hours of 3 and 7 o'clock, p. m., and the County Convention will be held in the Opera House in Bloomsburg, Tuesday, June 9th, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

This call is issued in accordance with Art. III, Sec. 10, of the Democratic Rules of Columbia county. FREEZE QUICK, W. B. ALLEN, Secretary. Co. Chairman.

CANDIDATES REGISTERED.

The following persons have registered their names as candidates to be voted for on June 6th, for the positions designated, by the Democratic voters of the county. Under the rules no other names can be printed on the official ballot to be used at the primary election.

FOR SHERIFF: W. W. Black, H. F. Dieffenbach, C. B. Ent, B. F. Rice. FOR JURY COMMISSIONER: T. B. Gardner, Adam Sult. FOR CORONER: Dr. B. F. Sharpless. DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION: Geo. T. Hoppes, C. A. Small, G. B. Hummer, William Bogert, Edward J. Flynn.

The Centralia High School will have a graduating class of two this year. They are George J. Jones and Miss Elizabeth C. Reilly. The class colors are gold and white. The commencement exercises will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall on the evening of Wednesday, May 27.

FINAL PROCEEDINGS.

Court Completes its Business and Adjourns on Saturday.

Saturday morning session brought to a close the May term of Court. All the Judges were present. There was very little business and only a brief time was necessary for its transaction.

Estate of Salvina Anderson, petition for sale of real estate granted and bond approved.

Estate of Francis D. Hess, late of Sugarloaf township, petition for sale of real estate to pay the debts, granted.

Estate of Francis William McEwen deceased. Petition to set aside a portion of the real estate to the amount of \$300. There being no personal property. Order granted.

Daniel Knorr, Sheriff, vs. S. C. Creasy, time to file reason for new trial in the case is extended ten days, from May 12, 1903.

Upon motion of G. M. Tustin, Heeber J. Robbins, an attorney from Schuylkill county, was sworn in as an attorney to practice in the Courts of Columbia County.

On motion of G. M. Tustin, Chas. Kline, of Catawissa Borough, was sworn and admitted to the bar of Columbia County.

In a rule to show cause why the children of Samuel Schweppenheiser should not support their father. Rule granted returnable first Monday in June.

Petition for the appointment of guardian for the estate of Albert H. Correl.

And now, May 16, 1903, the Court appoints the first day of June next at nine o'clock for the hearing of, said petition and direct that ten days notice be given the proper parties.

Estate of D. Z. Remaly. Petition for an order for the sale of real estate to pay debts. Petition granted.

In the divorce petition of Days vs. Days and Williams vs. Williams, the evidence not yet being completed, the cases were continued.

Petition quite extensively signed by residents along Little Fishing Creek was presented to the Court for the change of a road from what is known as the Rube Wilson farm to Mordansville in order to have the road run along the west side of the creek instead of the east, the purpose being to avoid the new S. B. and B. R. R. Petition filed and viewers not yet appointed.

Court then adjourned until nine a. m. June 1, 1903, thus ending the business of the May Civil Sessions.

The Pennsylvania State College Local Examinations.

The next College year opens Thursday, September 17th, 1903, at 8 a. m. Examinations for Admission will be held at the College Thursday, June 18th, beginning at 8:30 a. m. each day.

Local Examinations will also be held at Philadelphia (Central Y. M. C. A. Rooms); Scranton, Johnstown, Harrisburg and Reading (High School); Pittsburg (Central Board of Education), Thursday and Friday July 2 and 3rd, beginning each day at 9 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Candidates who desire to do so, may divide the examinations, taking a part of the subjects in June and the remaining subjects in September at the College.

At the local examinations in July the subjects will be divided as follows: On Thursday, 9 to 11:30, English Grammar and English Classics; 11:30 to 1, Arithmetic; 2:30 to 5, Physics and Physical Geography. On Friday, 9 to 11:30, Algebra; 11:30 to 1, United States History; 2:30 to 5, Geometry.

Candidates from Normal Schools and accredited High Schools are accepted in lieu of examination, as far as they cover the specific requirements for admission to the Freshman class. They should be forwarded to the College at once, and all calls for catalogues, specimens of examination questions or other information, will receive prompt attention if addressed to THE REGISTRAR, State College, Centre Co., Pa.

Two New Routes.

Two new routes will be added to the rural free delivery service in Columbia county, commencing June 1st. Both routes start at Jerseytown and are as follows:

Leaving Jerseytown goes to Buckhorn, to Mausteller's bridge, to Linden Hill school house, to Leidy Zeisloff's, to Dutch Hill church, to Black Run, through by Jerseytown and the Eversgrove road, following the road into town, a distance of nearly twenty-four miles. Charles Girton will be the carrier.

The second goes down to the Montour county line, over to Washingtonville, by Matthew Sheep's and James Lowry's, to James Russell's, to A. C. Smith's, up Allen Hollow to Katies church, to Cox's down Spruce Run to Madison school house, to Chamberlin's, to John Smith's farm, to John Wolf's farm, down to E. H. Kramer's farm, thence to Jerseytown via the Whitehall road. Charles Wintersteen will be the carrier for this route, which covers twenty-one and a half miles.

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Teachers' Examination for 1903.

The following is the schedule of the examinations for provisional certificates in Columbia county this year:

Berwick, June 3; Millville, June 5; Catawissa, June 8; Centralia, June 11; Numidia, June 12; Millville, June 15; Orangeville, June 17; Bloomsburg, June 19; Benton, July 3.

Applicants will be privileged to take the examination at any of the above named places most convenient to them. The following are the requirements which were published in a recent issue of the Columbia County School Journal:

1. The examination in reading, literature and orthography will be based on the following classes which have been used in the schools during the past term: Whittier's "Snow-bound and Barefoot Boy"; Bryant's "Death of the Flowers and Thanatopsis"; Longfellow's "Evangeline"; "Psalm of Life"; Hawthorne's "Great Stone Face" and "The Miraculous Pitcher."

Be thoroughly prepared on the biographies of these authors. Study their productions from a literary standpoint.

2. In order to pass in Theory it will be necessary to have mastered "Thinking and Learning to Think."

3. In Practice, each applicant will be expected to understand and explain fully the requirements as outlined in the first three years of the Course of Study used in this county.

4. In algebra the examination will cover all subjects as far as and including fractions.

5. The examination in civil government will be based on practical features of our township, county and state government.

6. The examination in arithmetic, grammar, history, geography and physiology will be based strictly on the work as outlined in the Course of Study used in this county.

Suitable paper will be furnished by the examiner. All work will be done in ink. Bring a good pen and ink with you.

Each applicant may, if he chooses, pay a slight fee of 10 cents to cover the expense of paper and stamped envelope furnished by the examiner.

Directors and patrons are always welcome visitors.

The examination will begin at 8 o'clock in order to give more time for additional branches. All are earnestly requested to be punctual.

No applicant will be granted a certificate this year who falls below 60 per cent. in any subject and whose general average is less than 65 per cent.

Candidates for Professional Certificates will complete the subject of Civil Government and the work in Algebra will extend to quadratics. Other wise the requirements will be the same as for provisionals except that more will be expected and a higher average must be attained.

In order to insure equal conditions all applicants will be required to come to Bloomsburg for the examination, with the exception of the teachers in Centralia and Conyngham who will be allowed to take the examination at Centralia, when the provisional examination is held. The reason for this can readily be seen when the distance is considered. The examination for Professional Certificates will be held, June 25th in the High School building at Bloomsburg, beginning at 8 o'clock.

WILLIAM W. EVANS, County Superintendent. County papers please copy.

They Fished on Sunday.

J. W. Boulton and George Cowfer of Houtzdale, on Sunday, April 19th, were caught fishing for trout in Trout run, Centre county, by members of the Osceola Gun Club. They were arrested Tuesday and given a hearing before Squire Sandford, at Philipsburg. They pleaded guilty and were accordingly fined \$30.60 each.

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F. P. PURSEL.

Richard Reed was removed from the house of William Stookey to the Sunbury Hospital Monday night, suffering with appendicitis. He arrived here from Lopez, Sullivan County on Sunday after having suffered an attack. He suffered the second attack on Monday. His recovery is a matter of doubt.

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