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THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 1907

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, W. W. BLACK, of Bloomsburg.

FOR ASSOCIATE JUDGE, CHARLES A. SHAFER, of Berwick.

NOTICE PRIMARY ELECTION

For the Spring Primary Election to Be Held Saturday June 1st, Between the Hours of 2 P. M. and 8 P. M., 1907.

The Voters of Columbia County:—in accordance with SECTION THREE paragraph FOUR of the UNIFORM PRIMARY ELECTION LAW notice is hereby given that the several political parties in the said county will vote at the various polling places in the said county on Saturday June 1st, 1907, between the hours of 2 P. M. and 8 P. M. to nominate candidates at the Spring Primary election as follows, to wit:— One person for Associate Judge.

Four persons for delegates to the Democratic State Convention. Six persons for delegates to the Prohibition State Convention. One person for Republican Committeeman in each election district.

JERRY A. HESS, County Commissioner. C. L. POHE, Commissioners. E. RINGROSE, Commissioners. Attest A. E. BLACK, Commissioner's Clerk

FAVOR COCHRAN BILL.

Mr. Sheatz has about concluded that his committee cannot avoid reporting out favorably to the house Senator Cochran's pension bill for Pennsylvania veterans. The appropriations chairman says that this measure would take out of the State treasury in the ensuing two years not less than \$7,000,000, and perhaps close to \$10,000,000.

The State Senate has put in the appropriation bill the sum of \$429,000 for the Danville Hospital for the Insane.

Too Much Legislation.

A tendency toward the enactment of legislation having for its object the holding of fewer elections is noticeable in many of the states. In Pennsylvania bills are pending in the legislature having for their object the doing away with the spring election, although it is highly improbable that they will be passed. In Massachusetts, where a governor and other state officials are elected every year, an effort is being made to lengthen the term. Upon the proposition to hold but one election each year in Pennsylvania, there are arguments on both sides. One result of frequent elections is over-legislation, which is of the worst evils of our system of government.

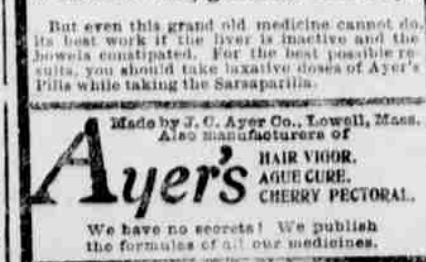
TO THE PUBLIC.

In this issue I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Associate Judge of Columbia county. I have always been a Democrat, and I assure you if nominated and elected to the office which I now aspire to fill, I will be guided wholly by my best judgment, and endeavor to do my duty as I see it, and as I have done it in the past. I promise, if elected, so far as within my power, a fair, honest and impartial administration, with equal and exact justice to all men and special privileges to none.

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Not Every Thing That Glitters is Gold.

Neither are great possessions the real riches. The chief aim of most men is to accumulate wealth, as though life consisted of great possessions. Property is essential to happiness and comfort; but too often it proves to be a snare, instead of a blessing.

But "as it is not all of life to live, nor all of death to die," neither is prosperity nor wealth the chief essential that renders life happy. Therefore, great possessions and coffers of gold, are not the standard values by which happiness is measured. Contentment, with or without great possessions, is the true standard by which happiness is measured.

Some men, yes, the majority of them, value very highly, all things, whose commercial worth is measured by the unit value of a dollar, as though all values consist of dollars and cents, and that no life can be successful without a full measure of this world's goods.

But many prefer righteous principles, as the standard of values, that measure the degrees of happiness, as the chief source of a successful life. Following such a course affords more real happiness and comfort than to deal, by sharp practice, to gain advantageous ground to beat every one they deal with.

Yet many people value friendship, souvenirs and other objects which have no commercial value whatever, above all values of a commercial nature, which they hold as dear as life itself.

These things are above all financial consideration, and which they would not dispense with, for money, at any price.

A good character is of greater value than all the wealth the world can bestow. Integrity is the gold of character and which endureth, when all the Standard oil and the dross of the world have passed into oblivion.

J. C. WENNER.

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Carnegie's Gifts of Millions.

Mr. Carnegie has given away a total of \$16,108,000 of other people's earnings since he made up his mind to die rich to the disgrace. However, Mr. Carnegie's benefactions have hardly equalled his unearned income. He is probably richer today than he was when he inaugurated his lavish distribution of the tribute wrung by means of the robber tariff from the American people. Apparently he realizes the danger of dying disgraced in spite of the unearned wealth he has poured out in gifts of one sort or another, for it is stated that he is to break all records this year, his bestowal of a \$6,000,000 institute building on Pittsburgh marking only the beginning of contemplated benefactions.

The first amendment to the Brooks high license law was signed last Thursday by Governor Stuart. It imposes an additional license fee on retailers as follows: Townships, \$25; boroughs, \$50; third class cities, \$50; first and second class cities, \$100. Only the State will benefit by the additional tax.

Mrs. Howard Cole, who has been postmistress at Coles Creek for a year or more, has gone to Mexico to join her husband. The post office department refused to accept her resignation, but she went anyway. No successor has yet been found.

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To the Voters of Columbia County.

For years past it has been the unwritten rule of the Democratic Party to accord to its various office holders a second term. This is a good rule, it is not only a good rule but a saving to the taxpayers of the county. The unwritten rule was unanimously adopted at the Democratic Convention held June 14, 1901. Dr. A. H. Catterall, of Berwick, offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS dissensions have heretofore arisen in the ranks of the Democracy of Columbia County by reason of County Officers when having served two terms in a respective office according to the custom of the rules of the party seeking a third term. Therefore be it resolved that it is the sense of this convention this day assembled that the offices of Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts, Register and Recorder, Commissioners, County Auditors, District Attorney, Associate Judge, and all others heretofore considered as two term offices be and the same are hereby designated as two term offices.

According to the rules of the Democratic Party, by long established usages, Judge Krickbaum is entitled to a re-nomination at the hands of the Democratic party. This should be accorded to him, without opposition.

He has been a good Judge and by reason of his five years' experience on the bench he will be better fitted to give the people of the county a good administration in a second term.

JOHN G. FREEZE, J. H. MAIZE, H. R. STRES, CLEM R. WEISS, W. H. RHAWN, C. W. MILLER, GUY JACOBY, WM. CHRISMAN, JOHN G. HARMAN, FRED IKELER, WARREN SHARPLESS

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Can't Keep Track of Murders.

Editor Hastings of the Milton Standard has the following to say concerning Northumberland county's murder record:

"Killings are occurring so thick and fast down in the coal regions of Northumberland county that it is difficult to keep the records straight. The beating to death of John Baritsky at Mt. Carmel and the shooting of Nesticio at Shamokin, came so close together that the Standard and the Mt. Carmel Item got mixed up in giving them the proper catalogue numbers. The Standard made the Baritsky killing number 113 and Nesticio the 114th victim, while the Item had the numbers reversed. As the Item is published nearer the base of operations, the Standard will yield to it and has reversed its records accordingly. After the last term of criminal court, when a red-handed murderer was acquitted (by the jury) and two other murder cases were postponed until the next term of court, the editor of this paper offered to wager a new hat with one of the judges that there would be at least two additional murder cases before May criminal court convened. The time has not yet half elapsed and there are already three—the brutal killing of the Shamokin cobbler and the two noted above. A similar epidemic of murder and crime followed the miscarriage of justice in the cases of Gurlick and Gearhart several years ago. Nothing will check this bloody record but a few well regulated hangings."

Senator F. A. Godcharles, of Northumberland county, has made himself solid with the miners of his district by the introduction of a bill appropriating \$20,000 for the construction and maintenance of a hospital car, to be under the direction of the State Health Department. Primarily the car is to be used to transport injured miners to the Miners' Hospital, near Ashland. The hospital car could be fitted up with operating tables, cots, medicine chests and all the appliances necessary to the injured. In some cases miners could be treated at the car without the necessity of going to the hospital.

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- Men's Underwear. Men's Ribbed Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers. Shirt with long or short sleeves. Drawers double seated 25 cents. Men's French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers. Shirts with long or short sleeves. Drawers with tape and back straps, pearl button, 50 cents. Men's fine wool (very light weight) Shirts and Drawers. Shirts with long sleeves and splendid quality \$1.00. Boys' Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers. Shirts with long sleeves. Drawers in knee or ankle length. Children's Ribbed Cotton Vests—low neck and sleeveless, 10c. Children's Fine Gauze Vests and Pants. Vests have short sleeves. Pants side buttoned, knee and ankle length, all sizes, beginning at 15c and up.

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