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**About Private Post Cards.**

Information of Interest to Every Merchant  
 and Business Man.

The private mailing, or post card, is coming into such general use for merchants and business men, that the rules and regulations of the postoffice department governing them is given here for the benefit of those who may have use for a private mailing card. The Postal Guide says:

Section 418 of the Postal Laws and Regulations is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 418. Private mailing cards ("post cards") in the domestic mails must conform to the following conditions:

a. A "post card" must be an unfolded piece of cardboard not exceeding 9 by 14 centimeters (approximately 3 9/16 by 5 9/16 inches) nor less than 7 by 10 centimeters (approximately 2 3/4 by 4 inches)

b. It must in form and in the quality and weight of paper be substantially like the Government post card.

c. It may be of any color not interfering with a legible address and postmark.

d. It may or may not, at the option of the sender, bear near the top of the face the words "Post Card."

e. The face of the card may be divided by a vertical line; the left half to be used for a message, etc., but that to the right for the address only.

f. Very thin sheets of paper may be attached to the card, and then only on condition that they are completely adhered thereto. Such sheets may bear both writing and printing.

g. Advertisements and illustrations may appear on the back of the card on the left half of the face.

2. Cards without cover, conforming to the foregoing conditions are transmissible in the domestic mails (including the possessions of the United States) and to Cuba, Canada, Mexico, the Republic of Panama, and the United States postal agency at Shanghai, China, at the postage rate of 1 cent each.

3. When postal cards are prepared by printers and stationers for sale, it is desirable that they bear in the upper right-hand corner of the face an oblong diagram containing the words, "Place postage stamp here," and at the bottom of the space to the right of the vertical dividing line, the words "This space for the address."

4. Cards which do not conform to the conditions prescribed by these regulations are, when sent in the mails, chargeable with postage according to the character of the message—at the letter rate, if wholly or partly in writing, or at the third-class rate, if entirely in print.

5. Cards bearing particles of glass, metal, mica, sand, tinsel, or other similar substances, are un-mailable except when enclosed in envelopes.

**Sheatz for Treasurer.**

By unanimous vote Hon. John O. Sheatz of Philadelphia, was nominated for state treasurer by the Republicans at Harrisburg last week in convention assembled.

The session was a veritable love-feast and the shortest on record, only one hour elapsing between convening and adjourning. Ex-Speaker Henry F. Walton was the chairman and he opened with a ringing speech and condemned capitol graft.

Congressman Burke, of Pittsburg, was chairman of the committee on resolutions and he read the platform. Its main features were an endorsement of Philander C. Knox for president.

**Dastardly Crime of Train-wrecking.**

No crime is more horrible than is that of the train-wrecker, who for purposes of robbery or revenge is willing to commit wholesale slaughter of innocent persons. In the current issue of *Leslie's Weekly* one of the most cold-blooded, and at the same time peculiar, methods of derailing a passenger train ever tried, and its disastrous effects, are disclosed in vivid photographs. This being the favorite month for weddings, the cover of the number presents a drawing in colors by Charles H. Wright, representing a happy June bride, while the inside front displays some delightful Maying scenes in Central Park, New York. Other pictorial features, besides the always-pleasing photo contests, include novel pictures of recreation and industry in Mexico; tokens of the sway of antiquity in modern Egypt; a good variety of scenes in the world of outdoor sports; a page of significant happenings in foreign lands, and a considerable number of additional pictures of timely interests. The letter-press contributions comprise, among other readable and valuable matter, an illustrated article by Mrs. C. R. Miller on the joys of automobiling in Cuba; the sayings of notable men; Harriet Quimby's entertaining account of a trip up the Nile, and Charles M. Harvey's able paper on New York as the coming financial centre of the world. "Roscoe" gives useful suggestions to those interested in mining enterprises, and "Jasper" considers the unfavorable conditions in the stock market, expressing the opinion that bottom has not yet been touched in the matter of prices, and specifying certain securities which he regards as safe purchases.

**Pensions For Worn-out Preachers.**

The subject of ministerial relief was one of the most prominent and important ones considered by the recent Presbyterian General Assembly. The average salary of preachers in that great and strong church is only \$700 a year. In speaking of this subject the Rev. Dr. Agnew, of Philadelphia, referred to the preachers as idolized at thirty, criticized at forty, ostracized at fifty, oslerized at sixty, and canonized at seventy. He said that an endowment fund of \$6,000,000 was needed. A hod-carrier, who learns his trade in a day, can earn more in a year than the preachers get on the average, though the education of the latter costs them years of study and thousands of dollars of expense.

**AUDITOR'S NOTICE.**

In re Estate of William Shaffer, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, in the County of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, Deceased.

The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, to distribute the funds in the hands of H. H. Grotz and W. F. Shaffer, Executors of the estate of said William Shaffer, deceased, as appears on their first and final account filed in the Orphans' Court of said County, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Town of Bloomsburg aforesaid, on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims before the undersigned, or be forever after debarred from coming in upon the said fund.

CLINTON HERRING,  
 Auditor.  
 6-13-07.

**EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.**

Estate of Elizabeth Johnston, late of the Town of Jerseytown, Columbia County, Pa., Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Elizabeth Johnston, late of the Town of Jerseytown, deceased, have been granted to William C. Johnston, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

WM. C. JOHNSTON,  
 Executor.  
 6-13-07.

**Plan to Change Memorial Day.**

Strong Sentiment in Favor of Later Time.

According to a statement made by a prominent member of the Sons of Veterans there is a strong movement afoot among Grand Army men, Sons of Veterans and their auxiliaries to have Memorial Day fixed as the last Sunday in May, instead of May 30th. The claim is made that there is growing up an observance of the day far apart from what was intended, and separate as the poles from the sacred character that was originally intended should characterize the day. "There is not the least doubt," said the member above alluded to, "that in the past decade the day has lost much of its sacred character through the introduction of sports and pastimes into the day, that in our opinion is one of the most sacred days on the calendar, and in the nature of a holy, rather than of a holiday." The speaker said that the matter had several times been discussed in the council of the various orders and lately it has taken a new impetus. United effort on the part of these affiliated organizations, it is believed, will bring about the consummation of changing the date of the day through act of Congress.

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**For Children's Comfort.**

Among the bills signed by Governor Stuart is one providing that after December all stoves used for heating school rooms must be inclosed in shields or jackets to protect pupils from direct rays of heat while seated at desks, and that every room must be provided with easy means of ventilation, windows to be available for opening from top or bottom. Each room must have a thermometer. Violation or neglect of the act will subject school directors to removal from office. This bill is aimed at country school houses, which are poorly equipped with means of ventilation and rely on old round stoves, which injure eyes of children and subject them to danger of fire.

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**RELIGIOUS NEWS!**

The Philadelphia Press is publishing a series of religious articles on Saturdays by William T. Ellis, who writes on the subject in a versatile and interesting manner.

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Entered at the Post Office, Bloomsburg, Pa., as second class matter, March 1, 1886.

Lafayette Keeler of Benton was in Bloomsburg this morning.

Jacob Rhodes was taken to the hospital today, where an operation was performed for appendicitis.

Miss Sara Milleisin returned from Lasall Seminary, Auburndale, Mass. on Monday, for the summer vacation.

Miss Louise R. Zahner, daughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Louis Zahner of Adams, Mass., graduated this week at Vassar College.

Souvenir Post Cards are printed at this office. Half tones supplied.

Boyd Rutter, second classman at the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland, is at home on a two months' vacation.

At a meeting of the town council last Monday night, Frank Baum was elected Chief of Police in place of Wesley Knorr deceased.

With the death of Mrs. McKinley recently there died a special postal law enacted by congress in 1902, namely, that all mail matter from Mrs. McKinley bearing her autograph signature should be carried free by the post office department from the date of enactment of the law until her death. The privilege extended to Mrs. McKinley by Congress has been granted to few women in the history of this country. Mrs. Garfield, widow of President Garfield, who was likewise struck down by an assassin's bullet, was given the free use of the mails by Congress in 1881. The only others to receive the honor were Mrs. Polk, widow of President Polk, and Mrs. Grant, widow of President Grant.

**Pennsylvania State Educational Association.**

The Fifty-first Session of the Pennsylvania State Educational Association will be held at Greensburg, Westmoreland county, July 2, 3 and 4, 1907. Greensburg is one of the most attractive and most progressive towns in Pennsylvania. It is thirty-one miles east of Pittsburg on the main line of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Special efforts have been made to present a program of great worth. The State Teachers' Association is of the highest professional value to teachers. Many school measures found upon our statute books are traceable to the influence of this organization. Every teacher in the state should be a member of this Association. All members will receive a bound volume of the proceedings. The enrollment fee, which is \$1.00, may be sent to Prof. David S. Keck, treasurer, Kutztown, Pa.

The National Educational Association will meet in Los Angeles, California, July 8-12, 1907. Pennsylvania has been honored in the choice of Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer as president of this Association. Our state should send a large enrollment to this convention.

**HARMAN FOR TREASURER.**

The ball set rolling by the Columbia County Democratic Committee is gathering momentum in many parts of the state, and John G. Harman Esq. is being generally talked of as the next candidate, for State Treasurer. No better selection could be made. His reputation made in the legislature is state wide, and he would run like a whirlwind.

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