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WHEN YOU WANT TO

Open a Bank Account Have a Check Cashed
Borrow Money, or Make an Investment

CALL ON THE OLD RELIABLE—

The Farmers National Bank
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DEEDS RECORDED.

The following deeds have recently been entered on record by Recorder of Deeds Frank W. Miller:

John Wilson and wife to Charles Philecheky for lot of ground in Conyngham township.

Charles Adams and wife to Rachael A. Hower for tract of land in Catawissa township.

Anna S. Strausser to Rachael A. Hower for a tract of land in Catawissa township.

H. F. Everett and wife to Hulda Albertson for a lot of ground in Benton.

Hulda Albertson et al. to W. B. Fritz for a house and lot of ground in Benton.

Luzetta Rehm to Howard Pursel for a lot of ground in Bloomsburg.

L. J. Baker and wife to W. J. Oakum for lot of ground in Conyngham township.

Creasy and Wells to R. J. Ruhl et al., trustees for a tract of land in Mt. Pleasant township.

L. M. C. and I. Co. to Anthony Mohan for a lot of ground in Mt. Pleasant township.

Joseph Mamolem to Martha A. Kase for a lot of ground in Benton.

Harriet Beach to James E. Beach for a tract of land situate in Beaver township.

Freas Fowler and wife to H. O. Kline for a lot of ground in West Berwick.

Freas Fowler and wife to B. F. Sponenberger for a lot of ground in West Berwick.

ATHLETICS AND BROOKLYN.

S. R. Bidleman has arranged to give the lovers of base ball a rare treat. He has engaged the Athletics of Philadelphia, and the Brooklyn team to play a game on the Normal Athletic field on Monday afternoon, October 12th, at 3:30 o'clock.

Both these teams are among the best, and it will be the first time they have ever played together, as one belongs to the National League, and the other to the American.

It will be a great event, and will no doubt draw a big crowd.

GASHIER AT FOREST CITY.

R. R. Zarr, who has so acceptably filled the position of Teller at the Bloomsburg National Bank for a number of years, has resigned, his resignation taking effect on October 1st. He has been elected cashier of a national bank at Forest City, Susquehanna county, and entered upon his duties at that time.

Reber Terwilliger, son of Prothonotary C. M. Terwilliger, has been elected a clerk in the Bloomsburg National, taking the place of Mr. Harry Stroh, who is advanced by the resignation of Mr. Zarr.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

The suit of Freas C. Kistler vs. the Berwick R. R. Co., was tried in court on Monday and Tuesday, resulting in a verdict of \$1300 for the plaintiff. The suit was for injuries received by a train colliding with the plaintiff's team. Fred Ikeler and Clinton Herring Esqs represented the plaintiff, and Grant Herring the defendant.

SECOND DEGREE MURDER.

After an all night session, the jury in the Takacs murder case returned a verdict of murder in the second degree, last Friday. The prisoner was sentenced to twenty years in the penitentiary. Takacs is a consumptive, and will not live many months.

KERN RAPS THE PRESIDENT.

Calls Him Flagrant Violator of Civil Service Principles.

"The people of America will, in my judgment, demand the right to choose their servants free from official influence and effort of a President who goes almost to the point of violence in insisting that he be allowed to name his own successor."

John W. Kern, the Democratic Vice Presidential candidate, before a crowd that filled the big Academy of Music at Kalamazoo, Mich., thus assailed President Roosevelt for his participation in the national campaign. He compared the President's activity with that shown by President Arthur in 1882 to bring about the nomination of Chief Justice Folger for Governor of New York, which activity, he declared, was rebuked by the voters of that State in a most decisive manner. The President, he said, from being a "pioneer in the civil service movement," has degenerated into one of the most flagrant violators of its principles.

"Any attempt on the part of one occupying high official station to dictate a course of action to be pursued by the voters, either in convention or at the polls, is hateful to all self-respecting American freemen, even if such attempt is covertly and adroitly made," said Kern, "but when such attempt is made boldly and audaciously as a matter of claimed right on the part of the official, it is so offensive to the spirit of our institutions as to be regarded as intolerable by the great American electorate."

Six National Parties on State Ballot.

Copies of the sample ballots for the coming election have been delivered to the State department from the printers. They have been distributed and certified to the different counties.

The candidates for presidential electors of the Republican, Democratic, Prohibition, and Socialist parties—those nominated at the April primaries—appear in columns in the order named, the order being governed by the total vote at the last election. Following these come the candidates for presidential electors of the Independence and Socialist-Labor parties, which were nominated by nomination papers. A blank column comes last. Candidates for judge of the superior court are then set forth, following which are the spaces, left blank to be filled out by the counties, for congressman, State representative, and the county officers.

It will make a large ballot.

To the Endeavorers of Columbia and Montour Counties.

You are herewith tendered a hearty invitation to attend the coming C. E. convention at Benton, Pa., October 22 and 23, 1908.

It is a great deal of pleasure to announce that Mr. A. J. Shartle, of Reading, Pa., the newly appointed Field Secretary, of Pennsylvania will be in attendance and take some part on the program. His wide practical experience, his fire, enthusiasm, and great love for Endeavor work will stimulate all to greater effort who come in touch with him at the convention.

Only one civil case was tried in court this week, everything else being either settled or continued. The one case was that of Freas Kistler against the S. B. & B. Railroad Co. for damages caused by his being struck by a train.

The Bloomsburg National Bank

A Strong, Conservative and Well Equipped Institution

INVITES YOUR BUSINESS.

If you don't have a Bank Account you owe it to yourself to have one here—NOW.

3 Per Cent. Interest Allowed on Time Deposits.

Wm. H. HIDLAY, Cashier.

A. Z. SCHOCH, President.

THE SHAME AND THE REMEDY.

Justice Elkin of the Supreme court of Pennsylvania is also involved in the Standard Oil scandal. He, too, appealed to the Standard Oil company for help in an emergency. Congressman Cassell, the enterprising contractor for furnishing steel furniture and space at fabulous prices was in the shadow of defeat and W. W. Greist, who is now a candidate to succeed Cassell, was in political trouble and Elkin interceded for them at the vital point. Elkin was the fittest man in the State to perform this service. Penrose could have accomplished the result, no doubt, for the Standard Oil company always wants legislative protection. But it had plenty of friends in the Senate and Penrose was all right anyway.

Justice Elkin was practically assured of a seat on the Supreme court bench. With the machinery for fraud in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh in perfect working order he couldn't have been beaten if half the honest Republicans of the State had voted against him. Nobody had a clearer understanding of the political conditions than John D. Archbold. He was as dependable in that branch of the Standard's service as Mr. Rogers was in the Wall street department. The Standard was in as constant need of judicial service as in legislative action. Therefore Elkin was the man to appeal to Mr. Archbold in behalf of Cassell and Greist. Hence his letter four days before the election, for the needed help.

But John P. Elkin is no worse than the other leaders of the Republican party of Pennsylvania. Quay and Penrose and Sibley were alike active with Elkin in the work of perverting the government of the State to the base service of the Standard Oil company and ninety per cent. of the Republican Congressmen for the State are similarly involved. It is a shame that the judicial ermine should be thus dragged through the filth of corrupt politics. But it is equally reprehensible that the State Legislature, and so far as the Pennsylvania influence goes, the Congress of the United States, should be so smirched. But the facts are indisputable. The shame is proved and the remedy is in defeating the party.

—Watchman.

LOOK YOUR HOUSES.

A number of cases of housebreaking have been reported lately. During the fair there are always many crooks around. People who leave their homes alone while at the fair should see that all doors and windows are securely fastened.

VOLUNTARY MANSLAUGHTER.

The jury in the case of Michael Laverna of Centralia, returned a verdict of voluntary manslaughter on Saturday night. The defendant stabbed Guy Salanura in a quarrel.

BEWARE OF PICKPOCKETS.

While at the fair carry your money in a pocket not easily accessible to the nimble fingered gentry.

Married.

WERKING—STINER—At the home of Mr. A. M. DeWitt in Bloomsburg, on the evening of September 22d, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. William H. Werking, of York, and Miss Florence E. Stiner, of Berwick.

HUGHESVILLE FAIR.

The thirty-eighth annual fair of the Muncy Valley Farmers Club will be held at Hughesville, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, October 13, 14, 15 and 16. The Hughesville Fair is the only fair in Lycoming county, and is recognized as being one of the best fairs in Central Pennsylvania. This year the management are planning to excel all previous exhibitions. The date has been changed to nearly a month later than usual in order to accommodate the farmers and this fact along with the largely increased premiums offered will attract the greatest exhibition of stock and products ever displayed.

The management of the fair have at a considerable expense arranged for a large and interesting exhibition to be made by the Agricultural Department of State College. This is an entirely new feature and will be very instructive.

A special premium of one hundred dollars has also been offered for the best exhibition of farm products made by any Grange organization.

There will be more horses and better races, and more and better music than ever before. The famous Repasz Band of Williamsport and Trate's Celebrated Band of Watsonstown have been engaged. Major Hendershott, the Original Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock and his son, will furnish martial music.

Thursday will be Governor's day as Governor Edwin S. Stuart will be the guest of Hon. Edgar R. Kiess, President of the Fair Association, on that day and make an address.

The amusements in front of the grand stand will be high class, including novelty animal acts and balloon ascensions with parachute drop by King Kelly, the famous aeronaut.

Join the crowd and go to Hughesville.

Campaign News Accurate and Fair.

The coming month in the political world is going to be interesting. The great national parties are working hard for supremacy and both are confident of victory at the polls in November. The two candidates of their respective parties are touring the country making speeches and discussing their policies. Every citizen and voter should know what is going on and this you can easily do by reading "The Philadelphia Press," which is printing all the political news fairly and accurately. If you cannot secure a copy of "The Press" from your newsdealer or carrier send your order to "The Philadelphia Press," Seventh and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia.

Died.

McHENRY.—At Berwick on September 19th, Daniel Klase McHenry, aged 2 years, 5 months and 12 days.

J. D. Werkheiser of Espy died last Saturday, aged 81 years, from pneumonia. He had lived in Espy for the past sixty years, and was a highly respected citizen.

We go to press a day earlier than usual this week, in order to give our hands a chance to attend the fair. It is the only holiday week our force gets during the year.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Chas. H. Peterson

TOWNSEND'S FALL SHOWINGS

IN ALL LINES OF CLOTHING.

There are some of the Most Beautiful styles and patterns this season that we have ever seen.

Come in and look over the models.

This store is full of the season's styles and you will be surprised how cheap you can buy here.



TOWNSEND'S CORNER.

A World of Dress Goods

In Our First Fall Fabric Showing

Not one fashionable weave or coloring but what is represented in our Dress Goods Department. Our showing is broad—comprehensive—complete—satisfying.

What the dress particular, tasteful woman wants is here—whether it be a plain chiffon broadcloth in one of the new green tones or a mannish overplaid mixture—smiling from among stores of other modish weaves.

And perhaps the most note worthy feature of the exhibit is the price lowness. We bought early and especially advantageously. Now we would pay from 10 to 20 per cent. more for many of the fabrics. You of course get the benefit of our fortunate purchasing. Prices tell—take note of them when you come.

A Few of the Many New Fabrics.

DIAGONAL—in navy blue, brown and green, 50 inches wide, six yards makes an entire suit. Price 79 cents a yard.

FANCY PANAMA—46 inches wide in stripes, checks and plaids as well as all the wanted plain colors at \$1.00 a yard.

STORM SERGES AND CHEVIOTS—in blue, brown, red, green and black—steam shrunk and ready to make 36 and 54 inches wide. Prices 50c to \$1.50 the yard.

SHADOW STRIPE CHIFFON PANAMA—40 to 44 inches wide in blue, green, garnet, red, brown and black. 75c to \$1.00 the yard.

FANCY STRIPE DIAGONAL 54 inches wide, very beautiful material in blue, brown and black. Price \$1.00 yd.

BLACK VOILE—always wanted for fine separate skirts. 44 in. wide, \$1.00 to \$1.50 a yard.

FANCY BROAD CLOTH—50 in. wide in blue, green and brown, with wide shadow stripe effect, just the thing for your new fall suit \$1.75 the yard.

A wide variety of high class WOOL TAFFETA in the season's latest colorings in green, blue, garnet, brown, gray and black, 40 in. wide at \$1.00 a yard.

SHEPHERDS PLAID—in black and white, blue and white and brown and white 36 to 44 inches wide, 50c to 75c a yard.

FANCY SUITINGS—36 in. wide, new Diagonal weaves as well as shadow stripes in all the new Autumn colors, 50c a yard.

HERRINGBONE WORSTED 40 to 44 in. wide high class fabrics in a wide variety of styles in red, brown, blue, green and black, 75c to \$1.39 a yard.

F. P. PURSEL.
BLOOMSBURG, PENN'A.