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CENTRE HALL, PA., THURS. May 10

ASSEMBLY.

We are authorized to announce that J. W. Kepler, of Ferguson township, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce that J. H. Wetzel, of Bellefonte, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce that Robert M. Foster, of State College, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce that John W. Conley, of Potter township, will be a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

It is mooted that Don Cameron is anxious to be the next Governor.

McKinley has postponed issuing his proclamation announcing the close of the Philippine war.

So far as legislative nominations have been made in different counties, Quay has 15 less than he had before. This settles his chances as nix.

The United Christian party, at its National convention held at Rock Island, Ill., on 2nd inst., nominated Rev. Silas Swallow for President.

Quay is now threatening to have his friends in congress fight Hanna's subsidy bill because Hanna wouldn't vote in favor of seating Quay.

There are still echoes of Sheldon. In a down east town people are agitating the election of councilmen to run the town "as Christ would run it."

The news beginning of the week was to the effect that Roberts had gained a victory and got the Boers on the run. By the end of the week we may hear that Roberts is on the run in the opposite direction. That's about the way things have been "run"ning out there.

Going over the field carefully, the opponents of Colonel Quay believe his re-election is absolutely out of the question, and they further believe the Quay leaders themselves are convinced of the hopelessness of again making Quay the caucus candidate.

It is learned that the Filipino rebels are now breaking up into mounted bands of 100 to harass the Americans wherever possible. The Liberal, the Filipino organ, declares "the Americans will soon suffer as a result of this strategy," and that the war is more vigorous than ever.

The prosecution of the fraudulent butter dealer is not being pushed with a vengeance by Stone. A cent a pound for winking at the fraud against farmers makes the Governor's prosecutions run mighty slow when one thinks that all the evidence is ready to convict.

Bryan is gaining strength and favor in all directions right along. On the other hand McKinley is losing strength in the western states and the ablest Republican leaders are showing an unfriendly feeling towards the great shifter on public questions.

For maliciously starting mountain fires let the penalty be death or penitentiary for life—it is not only destructive of millions of dollars worth of property but causes loss of lives. Centre county within the last twenty-five years has sustained a loss of not less than one million dollars from mountain fires.

The Sunbury Daily, which has been sued for \$5000 damages in libel, asks the court to rid Northumberland county of "polecat" lawyers, and refers to the days when the supreme court met in Sunbury and such men as Ellis Lewis and Jerre Black were on the bench.

"Polecat" lawyers—that's fine; got 'em down there? they're of some use, kill 'em, the pelt is ready sale.

General Greeley, chief of the Signal Bureau, in a lecture a few evenings ago, commented upon the army as a political organization, and said that no advance had been made in 50 years. He declared the army would be weak until the incompetents were weeded out just as would be in commercial life. If every incompetent officer in the army was discharged, he said, it would have a tremendous effect, and make the army approach the model of the German army of to-day, which of all national military organizations was the nearest to perfection.

There are two candidates for President already in the field in Wharton Barker, of Philadelphia, as the candidate of the Middle-of-the-Road Populist, and Eugene Debs as the candidate of the Socialists. A third presidential candidate named at the convention of the United Christian party held at

Rock Island, Ill., on 2nd. This is Dr. Silas C. Swallow, of Harrisburg, who has as his running-mate John G. Woolley, of Chicago, and as a platform the recognition of Jesus Christ and the Christian religion in the constitution.

A new and unclassified Stone has been found on capitol hill, at Harrisburg. Quay was asked to be seated on an unconstitutional certificate, on the ground that "the state was entitled to a full representation," but the senate couldn't see the point. The "full representation" theory is left in a bad fix, and the constitutional mandate being that the Governor shall call an extra session to fill the vacant seat, Stone won't act and is willing there shall be no "full representation" unless Quay gets the seat. A queer Stone.

One of the tasks which now occupies the Republican leaders, remarks the Record, in and out of congress is the construction of an Anti-Trust platform for their national convention in such a way as to retain the support of the great industrial monopolies and at the same time amuse the people with deceptive promises. In view of the history of the Republican party's connection with the Trusts from the beginning down to the eve of the national convention this will be an extremely difficult undertaking. When Senators Hanna, Elkins, Sewell and Foraker shall have launched their Anti-Trust programme the people will be apt to remind them of their speeches and votes on the Berry amendment on the first day of May.

Governor Stone and an Extra Session.

The able speech of Senator Quarles, of Wisconsin, says the Record, has demonstrated that Governor Stone has made himself liable to impeachment and removal from office by his refusal to convene the Pennsylvania Legislature to elect a United States Senator, and by his usurpation of a power which belongs to that body. By convening the Legislature now Governor Stone would give it the opportunity of filling the vacancy in the Senate. At the same time the Legislature could avail itself of a brief extra session to resubmit the vetoed amendments to the Constitution and to restore the money which Governor Stone wrongfully cut out of the common school appropriation.

During the whole time that the Quay case was unsettled the adherents of the Machine were unceasing in their cries that it was a great wrong that Pennsylvania should be only half represented in the Senate of the United States when so many questions of moment were under consideration.

A Duke Changes Suits. The duke is known by changing his suits several times a day. A secretary in the British Embassy at Washington, does not consider it good form to wear less than six different suits of clothes in a day.

He does not wear any jewelry in the morning. At dinner dances he appears at the table in a Tuxedo jacket, and before the dancing begins retires, and, with the assistance of his man, changes to the regulation full-dress, spike-tailed coat.

These dukes who change suits daily are found in many places.

New Railroad in the Clearfield Region. A number of eastern capitalists have completed a deal whereby they have become possessed of the charter, franchise and right of way of the proposed West Branch Valley Railroad. This project was started by the late Calvin M. Brice, and was to have been built from Clearfield to Williamsport with Beech Creek as a link in an independent system. After Mr. Brice's death the matter was allowed to rest. The new purchasers will build the road only near Keating, through Karthaus, to Clearfield, a distance of thirty-nine miles, and it will be an adjunct of the Pennsylvania system.

Look Over Your Mail.

Be careful to return to the postoffice mail matter not belonging to you that you may receive through mistakes. A new postal rule that recently went into effect is that persons, who through carelessness or from any other reason take mail from the office that belongs to another; and who fail to return the same, are liable to a fine of \$500 or one year's imprisonment. This applies to newspapers thus taken from a postoffice as well as other mail matter.

A Large Barn Burned.

The large barn with all its contents, including eight horses, several head of cattle, farming implements, etc., situated on the farm of Samuel Hoover, at Hannah, this county, was totally destroyed by fire, on Friday morning, 4, at 4 o'clock. This is the fourth or fifth barn that has been destroyed by fire in the Bald Eagle valley in the near neighborhood of this one within the past year or so.

Recent Union Co. Deaths.

Lewisburg, Miss Amelia Heinley, age 69 years. Freeport, Ill., Henry S. Barber, in 82 year. N. Dakota, R. J. Sheldon, age 55 y. Hartleton, the widow of Rev. Adam Benver, age 84 years. Pittsburg, Wm. son of J. A. Noll, 22 y.

Readable Clippings.

The Government owns many thousands of acres of land in New Mexico that have never been taken up. It is the finest country in the world for stock raising.

It is noteworthy that more Americans have been killed in the Philippines since the war was declared ended than in the same space of time while it was raging most furiously.

While excavating a cellar at Sunbury last Friday workmen unearthed the bones of a man of immense stature. The skull is in a state of perfect preservation, not a tooth being missing. The skeleton of a dog and primitive household utensils were also unearthed. The man's bones were apparently those of a member of a race long ago extinct.

Off to the Wooded Hills.

Several weeks since the Philadelphia Sunday Times presented its readers with a magnificent lithograph in twelve colors by Le Roy. The demand for the issue exceeded the supply by many thousand copies. THE TIMES has secured another painting—a companion piece to the first—by the same artist, entitled "A Blooming Clematis," which is now being lithographed in twelve colors, and which will be given away free with the GREAT OUTING NUMBER OF THE TIMES, Sunday, May 13.

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Table with columns: Westward, Station, Eastward, Time. Includes stations like Montanion, Lewisburg, Biehl, Vicksburg, Millersburg, Millersburg, Union Deposit, Lock Haven, Pottsville, Tyrone, Clearfield, Philipsburg, Pottsville, Gettysburg, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Elmira, Renovo, and Harrisburg.

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