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Democratic Ticket.

For Justice of Supreme Court: HARMAN YERKES.

For State Treasurer: ELISHA A. CORAY.

Prothonotary—M. I. GARDNER. District Attorney—N.B. SPANGLER.

SUPPORT CORAY.

There seems no reason why every good Democrat and every other good citizen should not give a very earnest support to the Union State ticket. It affords the opportunity for a combination of the forces in favor of reformation of State government and politics in Pennsylvania. That such reformation is greatly needed is known throughout our land.

When officially dubbing the "Executive Mansion" the "White House," President Roosevelt evidently hadn't in mind the exclusion of the colored Washington.

One reason, and a good reason, why every voter can conscientiously vote for Mr. Gardner is that it is positively known that he is capable of properly conducting the office of Prothonotary.

Vote your ticket to the bottom, and give Mr. Spangler the Democratic candidate for District Attorney the full vote of the party, just the same as though he had the strongest, bitterest opposition.

Judge Stewart of Franklin county handed down an opinion on Thursday having a direct bearing on public sales of real estate. In effect it means that fictitious bids constitute a violation of the law, and that the practice so often resorted to, known as "padding," is nothing else but a fraud.

The office of District Attorney is just as important to the tax-payers of Centre county as it is to the tax payers of Philadelphia. Mr. Spangler has shown himself such an admirable official that no one dared to oppose him.

Don't take it for granted that because the Republicans are not united on the state ticket, there will be no trouble to elect the county ticket. Such a blunder cost two Democratic legislators last fall. The Republicans in Centre county, as a rule, do not look after the interests of the Democratic candidates, and nothing of the kind need be expected this fall.

The people of Centre county have very properly given a second term to every prothonotary who has performed the duties of his office faithfully. M. I. Gardner has been a faithful official and has become conversant with the duties of the office, and can give the best service to the people.

We guarantee and stand by every pair of shoes that leaves our store—Yeager & Davis, Bellefonte.

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A SERIOUS CHARGE

The Story of Justice Potter's Remarkable Relationship With the Governor of the Commonwealth.

SCORED BY THE PAPERS OF ALL PARTIES

Severe Criticism From Sources Which Demand Attention. What Will Be the Outcome? Will the Court Order an Inquiry?

The Philadelphia Press has submitted to the people of Pennsylvania proof that Justice William P. Potter, Governor Stone's former law partner and appointee to the Supreme Court bench, has prostituted the office by betraying secrets of the court and attempting to smirch the integrity of his judicial colleagues.

When the legislature was in session there were "leaks" on questions affecting "machine" legislation pending before the Supreme Court, and it was an open suspicion that either one or the other of Governor Stone's appointees, Justice Brown or Justice Potter, was the betrayer of court secrets.

On May 1 The Press laid the grave charge directly at Justice Potter's door, declaring that he informed Governor Stone of the standing of the court upon the Pittsburg "ripper" legislation prior to the announcement of the decision.

Although Stone and Potter made weak denials at the time, the justice took no steps to refute the charge or protect his sullied reputation, and the announcement of the decision confirmed the account of the betrayal, even the names of the justices voting affirmatively having been announced in advance.

The Press now gives in detail the long-distance telephone conversations between Potter and Stone when the justice "tipped" the governor in advance of the "ripper" decision, and also the decision sustaining the governor's cut of the school appropriation.

These telephone talks revealed Potter in the attitude of a boasted "manipulator" of the remaining members of the Supreme Court; he assumed to be able to "control" certain justices, without hesitating to reflect upon their integrity; and Governor Stone commended him for "doing a good thing."

The papers of the state generally, except a few stalwart organs that would defend highway robbery if done by one of their candidates, condemn Justice Potter for his course. It shows that he acted more as a paid attorney determined to win his case than a member of the highest judicial body of the state.

Philadelphia North American. No greater infamy could be charged against a judge. The offense alleged is not a mere impropriety. It is a crime punishable by impeachment and perpetual disqualification to hold any office of honor or profit.

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Philadelphia Times. The Press has published at length the alleged conversations by telephone between Governor Stone and Justice Potter, in which they discussed the attitude of the supreme court upon the "ripper" legislation and Justice Potter's successful efforts to bring about a decision in favor of the machine. This extraordinary exposure should make impossible the election to the supreme court of an appointed member who has not only betrayed its secrets but dishonored its integrity, if it does not make impossible his further presence in the court.

In May last The Press started its readers by the publication of a Harrisburg dispatch accusing Justice Potter, of the supreme court, of having made improper disclosure to Governor Stone of the impending action of the court with reference to the contested constitutionality of the Pittsburg "ripper" legislation.

The Press has republished its dispatch of May 1, with further confirmation.

PUBLIC SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale the real estate of Christina Corman deceased, located in Spring Mills, Pa., on the premises, at one clock p. m., on Saturday, Oct. 25. This property consists of a House and lot.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Susan McCauley, late of Centre Hall Boro, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, he would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of R. R. Ruhl, late of Gregg township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned, they would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

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Yeager & Davis' shoe store Bellefonte, Pa. Among the awards at the Pan-American Exposition last week was a silver medal to the Standard Steel Works for its exhibit of steel tires, wheels and frames.

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LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD

Table with columns for Station, Day, and Time. Includes routes like Harrisburg and York, and Harrisburg and Philadelphia.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA

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BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD

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