

NEW BANK FOR HUNTINGDON.

Grangers Will Establish One With a Capital Stock of \$100,000 and Start Telephone Line.

A Grangers' national bank is to be established in Huntingdon. This was the unanimous decision of the Huntingdon county Pomona Grange at its quarterly meeting held at Mooresville, in West township, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

It is part of a movement to establish grange banks in all the leading counties of the state. The subject was presented in a thorough manner through Charles T. Belles, of Benton, Columbia county, special representatives of the state grange on banking, and sufficient stock has already been subscribed to guarantee the bank being started at an early day. Mr. Belles is at present completing the organization of the grangers' bank in Clearfield county, and will go to Huntingdon to take up the work as soon as he finishes there. The capital stock of the Huntingdon bank will be \$100,000, with a surplus equal to ten per cent. of that amount.

The Huntingdon county husbandry contains a number of wealthy and substantial farmers, who are enthusiastic over the movement and will co-operate to the extent of assuring the undertaking success. There are twenty-one local granges in the county. Already similar banks have been established at Tioga and Patton, the later having just recently opened its doors for business. Clearfield county will soon be organized and in McKean county the bank is ready for business as soon as the rooms can be occupied. The local enterprise will make the fifth grangers' bank in the state when it is organized. This will give Huntingdon four national banks and a private bank.

More than two hundred members of the county grange were present at the Mooresville meeting. Another progressive feature favorably considered by them was the rural or farmers' telephone service, as presented by E. M. Gann, of Williamsport, rural contracting agent for the Pennsylvania Telephone Company. The object is to organize the granges for rural line telephone service, whereby the farmers may all be connected up with one general system, with which Huntingdon county is already well equipped. A committee appointed to investigate the proposition submitted by Mr. Gann reported favorably on it. A central committee, composed of representatives of each of the twenty-one local granges was then appointed to look after the interests of the patrons of husbandry on the telephone situation.

Among the prominent speakers besides Mr. Belles, at the meeting were State Master W. F. Hill, of Chambersburg, and State Secretary Allan, of Thompsettown, Juniata county.

Red Corn Wanted.

Fifteen to twenty bushels of red corn, this year's crop, will be purchased by the undersigned.

L. RHONE,
Ch. Grange Encampment,
Centre Hall, Pa.

Harvest Home Services.

Rev. James Boal, D. D., will preach a Harvest Home sermon at the Union church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and at the Cross church at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. A benevolent offering will be received at each service.

J. M. REARICK, Pastor.

What is a Thinking Machine?

A brand new remarkable series of detective stories, the best ever written, will begin in the Philadelphia Sunday Press on September 2nd. Each story is complete in itself, and one will be published each week.

The author has contrived in an extremely ingenious way to invent a unique situation for each tale. The problems offered are so involved that no solution seems possible until Prof. Van Dusen, The Thinking Machine, is called upon who invariably straightens out the difficulties by remarkably novel methods.

One of these stories appears each week exclusively in the Philadelphia Sunday Press, which is the greatest Sunday newspaper in the country.

Be sure and tell your newsdealer to serve you with the Sunday Press as you cannot afford to miss this great series of stories.

Keith's Theatre.

The bill at Keith's Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, this week, is a brilliant one "The Rain-Dance," a spectacular New York success, with Neva Aymer, is having its first presentation in the Quaker city. T. J. Keogh & Company are seen in the great comedy sketch, "How He Won Her." There are also the famous Meredith Sisters, high-class entertainers. This week is the occasion of the first American appearance of Europe's foremost woman juggler, Selma Braatz. Others playing there are: Caron and Farnum, comedy acrobats; George Day, monologist; Hines and Remington, fun makers; Fitzgerald and Gilday, eccentric comedians; Brooks and Vedder, a team of brilliant; Roitare, magician; Carl Cook, singing comedian; The Four Meivius, whirlwind acrobats, are an extra added attraction.

Visiting cards printed at this office

EMERY'S SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE.

Continued Next Week.

Mr. Chairman, Fellow Citizens, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I shall not today discuss the planks in the platform upon which the Lincoln party stands; will leave that for later occasions; will today confine myself to explaining the causes which have led to the adoption of that platform, causes which have induced Republicans and Democrats to wipe out divisional party lines and unite upon the high plane of civic duty.

I speak today not as a Republican, nor as a Democrat, but as one citizen speaks to others who have joined with him in behalf of a cause that is far above partisanship. Our cause has nothing to do with federal policies. Right is in arms against wrong. The fundamental principles of morality are at stake. The people have arisen against the combined forces of political corruption and lawless power. He who hesitates in such a crisis is less than a man and more than a partisan; he is either a moral coward or a foe to good government.

When a system of political misrule, continued for half a century, debauches an entire state, robs and oppresses the public, wrecks banks and drives bankers to suicide, and causes public officials to seek in self-inflicted death relief from the pangs of remorse consequent upon having yielded to Gang persuasion, the honest citizen body is confronted by a duty which it cannot shirk without being morally guilty of complicity in the crime.

This is not a time for partisanship, but for patriotism. The state machine has for 40 years made your nominations, controlled your affairs, usurped your rights, inflicted injuries upon you, abused your confidence, robbed the people, sneered at their protests and deliberately conspired against public welfare.

The political history of Pennsylvania has been for 50 years a record of infamy, because it has been the history of crime.

Simon Cameron founded the criminal organization known as the state Machine. The system he originated has made the state a field of organized corruption and vicious legislation. The Machine was conceived in sin and brought forth in iniquity, and its career down to the present day has been consistent with the character of its parentage.

Cameron got his start in public life, it is said, by swindling the Indian wards of the nation. He broke into politics by means of ill-gotten wealth. Although a protectionist, he professed to be a Democrat because the Democratic party was in the ascendant; and false pretense for selfish ends has characterized the Gang through all its changes and under its various leaders.

Cameron is charged with introducing the practice of the corrupt use of money in politics as a main reliance for success. When cajolery, sharp practice and dissimulation failed him, he did not hesitate to resort to bribery, and for 40 years the Gang has been true to what Mr. Wesley R. Andrews calls "its glorious traditions."

When the Republican party arose, Cameron found it convenient to change his politics—but not his methods. He was elected to the United States senate, it was charged and never denied, by buying the votes of Lebo, Manear and Wagonseller; and I call your attention to the fact that he who brought forward Cameron's name in the Republican caucus was a state senator by the name of Penrose. It would be a fitting close to a half century of misrule if the same name signed to the birth certificate of the Gang should, in this year of grace be inscribed upon the tomb wherein shall be buried the last of the dynasty of the usurpers.

By an unscrupulous use of power, Cameron succeeded in becoming secretary of war in Lincoln's first cabinet; but he prostituted his office by giving fat contracts to his followers, a system of political contract manipulation which is still making Pennsylvania hissing and a by-word under the existing regime. Censured by a vote of the house of congress, dismissed from office by Lincoln, but saved from further public disgrace only by the influence of Thomas A. Scott, of the Pennsylvania railroad, who was assistant secretary of war, and permitted to resign, Cameron again turned his attention to building up the state Machine.

Thad Stevens, the "Great Commoner," Andrew G. Curtin, the grand old "War Governor," David Wilnot, the author of the "Wilnot Proviso," Galusha A. Crow, the father of the "Homestead Act," were virtually driven from public life by the power of the Cameron Gang, just as every other honest man of high ability and character has been forced out of, or, if possible, kept from entering, public service up to the present time, because character and ability are hated and feared by the Gang as fervently as holy water is hated and feared by the devil.

Cameron defrauded Curtin of the senatorship by means of the perfidy of Matthew Stanley Quay, whose treachery to the war governor (whose secretary he was and to whom he owed his start in life), and whose easy virtue commended him to the founder and brought him sudden acquisition of funds and paved the way for his succession to the boss-ship.

Quay's advent upon the scene marked the introduction of satanic cunning into Machine methods and the elaboration of a system of political debauchery without parallel in history. The history of the past 40 years in Pennsylvania politics down to the present day is as black as the pit of hell and

as foul as the infernal sink of corruption. It has been an unbroken series of graft, bribery and corruption, pandering to vice, alliances with crime, sales of special privileges, trafficking in public utilities and public offices, corrupt misuse of public funds, and polluting the ballot. Legislation has been for sale to the highest bidder, and legislators, judges and governors have been the servile creatures of the Gang.

You remember the Quay speculation in treasury funds, which sent "Old Square Timber" Noyes to an untimely grave a broken-hearted man, caused Cashier Blake Walters to commit suicide and brought Quay to the verge of self-destruction. You recall the manipulation of the funds of the People's Bank by Quay and Cashier Hopkins, how the latter committed suicide, how President James McManes paid \$600,000 out of his own pocket to keep off a scandal, and how Quay escaped prison stripes by pleading the statute of limitations.

I need not multiply instances of peculation, graft and juggling with state funds and banks, nor refer you to Ripper bills, contract manipulations and covenants with vice; nor need I refer you to the packing of juries with criminals in order to save Gang followers from the penitentiary. The great crimes against the state lie along broader lines.

Cameron early allied himself with the corrupt Philadelphia Gas trust. This gang, like its successors, dictated local nominations, it controlled every department of the city government, it named the members of the legislature and made commercial politics a regular business. Every nominating convention was composed almost exclusively of Gas Trust men, and tickets thus named by the bosses became the regular nominees of the party whom every good party man was expected to support at the polls.

The successor of the Gas Trust was the Quay-Martin Gang, the Quay-Durham Gang, the Penrose-Durham-Lane-McNichol Gang, which under its successive leaders has proceeded from one stage of criminal audacity to another, and in all stages has been the mainstay of the state Machine. But under what guise or name soever it has been known, its purpose has been graft and its methods criminal.

The conspiracy with the Pennsylvania railroad was the beginning of the trust evil and the inauguration of corruption rule in public affairs.

Railroads are not now and never were private property. They are public highways, by right of eminent domain which empowers them to take private property for public use and they are therefore in essence and by express grant common carriers. In consideration of their services as common carriers they are by charter granted the right to tax the public in the form of freight rates. This tax bears upon every individual who uses any article that has been transported either as raw material or as finished product, and according to every sound principle of law and justice this taxation should be imposed without discrimination.

But when political corruptionists join hands with greedy corporations it is for the purpose of preying upon the public. Since the beginning of boss rule in this state the state Machine and the Pennsylvania railroad have been accomplices, and when the Standard Oil company forced its way into the conspiracy, the triumvirate was complete. By collusion of the state Machine, the railroad ceased to be a common carrier and became a carrier for a special class. Under agreement with the Standard Oil company, the Pennsylvania railroad introduced a system of rebate and discrimination which crushed competition, ruined independent coal, iron and oil operators and others, and laid the foundation for the first, the biggest and most rapacious of American trusts.

When the Standard Oil company went to Fisk and Gould with the proposition for special secret rates, the proposition was turned down by the Erie magnates, although neither of these railroad wreckers was over-scrupulous in business. When Vanderbilt was approached, he declared that the scheme was a flagrant violation of the law and ought to land its promoters in prison.

But the Pennsylvania had neither scruples nor fear of consequences. It had its own ends to serve, and it was at the same time placed in a position in which it found it more profitable to acquiesce in the Standard's plan than to fight that powerful corporation. Secure in their hold on the state Machine, and therefore masters of the law-making and law-executing powers, this pair of precious corporation scoundrels entered upon a career of public plunder which up to that time had had no parallel in magnitude of design, insatiable greed and cold-blooded atrocity.

I need not dwell upon the details. You are familiar with the story. The fruits of this conspiracy against trade, against the people, against the nation, are seen in the many gigantic trusts which hold this country by the throat. The Standard was the first. Other combinations of unscrupulous men copied the methods of the Standard and adapted them to their own use.

The predatory spirit first appeared in public affairs under the Cameron dynasty. The system of spoliation was brought to perfection under Quay and it is still in force under his blundering successors. Secret rebate and discriminations have enabled the trusts to throttle the country. The Steel Trust controls independent iron mines by means of iniquitous discrimination. The farmer is at the mercy of the Harvester Trust and the Elevator Combine. The coal roads either own the mines or control the output and its price by means of discrimination

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Timothy Seed.

Messrs. Foreman and Smith, grain and coal dealers, have on hand choice timothy seed which is offered for sale at reasonable prices. Call and examine the quality of this seed before purchasing your fall supply.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—LETTERS TESTAMENTARY on the estate of Jas. A. McClintic, late of Gregg township, deceased, having been duly granted to the undersigned he would respectfully request any 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.

ANDREW F. McCLINTIC, Executor.
Clement Dale, Atty., No. 25 West Market St., Bellefonte, Pa. Lewisburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—Letters of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Dursi, late of Centre Hall, Pa., 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. W. B. MINGLE, Administrator, c. t. a. August 16, 1906. Centre Hall, Pa.

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FOR BELLEFONTE, Tyrone, and intermediate stations, 8:16 a. m., 3:36 p. m. week days.
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6:07	12:27	8:27	Morris	6:28	10:23	3:12	6:08	12:38	8:38	Stevens	6:43
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5:50	12:14	8:14	Struble	6:55	10:40	3:22	5:45	12:20	8:20	Weddles	7:00
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