

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1914.

Mr. Benson as a Tax Equalizer. Edward R. Benson, the McKean county Democrat who is a candidate for Congress in this district, made a record in the Pennsylvania Legislature that is serving him to a good purpose in his present campaign.



HON. EDWARD R. BENSON.

estate or in a corporation, should be equally taxed, Representative Benson, McKean county, opened argument in the house today on his bill, which would revolutionize the taxation system in this state.

The proposed act, built along lines of the Ohio taxation law, was the special order of business. It would equalize the taxation on all properties, real, personal, corporate or mixed, create a tax commission and repeal all laws conflicting with its purpose.

Representative Baldwin, Delaware county, arguing against the bill, contended that certain figures that had been presented by Benson were not in accordance with the United States census.

Mr. Benson said real estate in Pennsylvania today pays an average tax of seventeen mills, while only three mills are collected on corporate and personal property.

Mr. Benson referred to railroad corporations in Ohio and New York paying much higher taxes than Pennsylvania and stated in New York one railroad pays six times as much for the privilege of doing business as it does in this state.

Arthur G. DeWalt, Democratic state chairman in 1910, at the close of the Allentown convention called up Senator Penrose over the telephone, and said: "The slate went through; Grim has been nominated."

The Sabbath School Convention of the eleventh district of Centre county will be held in the United Evangelical Church at Tusseyville, Friday, May 15th.

The Centre County Pomona Grange will meet in the hall of Washington Grange, near State College, on Wednesday, 27th inst. The morning session will open at two o'clock.

COMMENCEMENT AT BOALSBURG.

Nine Graduates Received High School Diplomas Friday Night.

The Boalsburg High School Commencement was held in the Reformed church Friday evening, May 1st. Promptly at 8 o'clock the Boalsburg orchestra began playing the march and the procession marched in.

When the freshmen and juniors parted and left the seniors and Miss Goheen march through single file to the platform and the others to their respective seats.

The church was very prettily decorated with the class motto "Noce Te" in their colors, green and gold, masses of yellow daffodils, beautiful ferns, and a large bouquet of beautiful yellow roses, the class flower.

THE PROGRAM.

- March Invocation.....Rev. J. I. Stonecypher Salutory.....Roy Catherman "The Rise and Fall of Nations".....Helen Coxe Oration....."The Crusades".....John Patterson "Washington".....Dean Holmes Commencement Address.....Dean Holmes State College Oration.....Ethel Gingrich "American Ideals".....Arlene Gingrich "The Traitor's Deathbed".....Fred Ishler "The American Government".....Rachel Rothrock Oration....."The Public School Trains for Citizenship" Class History and Prophecy.....Robert Wieland Valedictory.....Maude Houtz "Noce Te" or Know Thyself Presentation of Diplomas.....Rev. S. C. Stover Music by Boalsburg Orchestra

The excellent address by the speaker of the evening, Dean Holmes, Dean of the general faculty, Pennsylvania State College, was surely a great treat to every one present.

Each member of the class was a credit to himself, his parents and his school by the noble way in which he performed his part.

The orchestra is to be highly commended for the excellent music rendered, under the leadership of Walter Ludwig, forester.

The high school closed Friday with an average attendance for the girls of 97 per cent, thus giving an average for the school of 95 per cent.

Misses Arlene Gingrich, Ethel Gingrich, Edwina Wieland, Rebekah Wieland, Grace Wieland and Myles Thomas were present every day during the term of eight months.

From Youngstown, Ohio. YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, April 29, 1914.

Editor Reporter :

I enclose one dollar on subscription to Reporter. I live four miles out of Youngstown in a farming community. The farmers here are almost all in the milk producing business; they get eighteen cents per gallon wholesale, the retailer gets thirty-two cents per gallon.

Prices here are as follows: baled hay, \$22; straw, \$12 per ton; corn, shelled, 70c; oats, 50c; wheat, \$1; potatoes, \$1.35 per bushel; eggs, 25c; butter, 32c.

Yours very respectfully, GEORGE F. SCOTT.

Pine Grove Mills

Mrs. L. D. Musser spent Monday in Bellefonte.

Miss Hester Shuey of Lemont spent Sunday with Mrs. Frank Reed.

Misses Leoda Decker and Ollie Tanyer drove to State College last Friday.

Bryan Smith of Altoona spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mrs. Ross and little daughter of Altoona visited several days last week with Mrs. James Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Keller drove to Fairbrook on Sunday and spent the day at the George Koch home.

Mrs. Kyle Osman of State College and Miss Mary Osman of Centre Hall visited relatives in town last Saturday.

LOCALS

S. Ward Gramley, formerly assistant cashier, was elected cashier of the Millheim Banking Co., to succeed A. Walter, deceased.

United States Senator Boles Penrose is to be in Bellefonte Thursday of next week. He will deliver an address in the Court House in the evening.

John H. Williams, candidate for assemblyman, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday. He is making a close canvass of the county and is a hopeful candidate.

Jennie, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wingsard, died at the home of her parents in Penn township, on Monday. The child was sick from a hip disease for only one week.

Mrs. Lucy Henney is having her dwelling house repainted. The work is being done by F. M. Ackerman, an artist of large experience, and one whose work always gives entire satisfaction.

Rev. J. W. Rumberger of Madisonburg, pastor of the Evangelical Association, favored the Reporter with a call Saturday. Before entering the ministry he had to do with type and printer's ink and consequently took an interest in the Reporter's equipment.

Farmer Chas. E. Flink was shorn of one of his pleasures on Saturday night by a series of kicks from a good old faithful horse hitched to a buggy. The result was the shafts were broken, and Mr. Flink and son Harvey were obliged to return home and forego an evening's visit among cronies at Kreamer's.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Northern Conference of the Central Pennsylvania Synod will convene in St. Mark's Lutheran church, Spring Mills, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 2 and 3. There will be four sessions, one on Tuesday and three on Wednesday. A special feature will be the six o'clock prayer service on Wednesday morning.

Henry W. Shoemaker, of New York, president of the Altoona Tribune company; George C. Wilson, of Tyrone, a prominent business man of that town, and John D. Meyer of Altoona, treasurer of the Tribune company, and cashier of the Second National bank, have purchased the Altoona Gazette. These gentlemen have organized the Gazette corporation as follows: President, Henry W. Shoemaker; vice president, George C. Wilson; treasurer, John D. Meyer.

Mrs. George W. Barner and daughter, Mrs. Calvin Wohlfort attended the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Snarer near Centre Hall Saturday night. It is ten years since the Barners moved from Centre Hall and this was their first visit in that time.

Transfers of Real Estate. Anna E. Sheffer et bar to J. P. Hagman, plot of ground in State College, \$800. Fred Leathers et al to J. P. Hagman, tract of land in State College, \$850.

Lily E. Bierly et bar to Sarah E. Benner et al, premises in Bellefonte, \$1,200.

Lizzie L. Fye et bar to James Nyman, tract of land in Curtin twp, \$300.

Newton Brungart et ux to W. D. Walker, tract of land in Miles twp, \$7,200.

Annie B. Davis et bar to Cyrus Gearhart, tract of land in College twp, \$1,400.

Helen Lewin to Mary C. Harris, house and lot in Bellefonte, \$3,250.

Sarah E. Foreman et bar to William E. Homer, tract of land in Gregg twp, \$4,100.

Samuel Oberdorf et ux to Mary C. Harris, house and lot in Bellefonte, \$1,000.

F. P. Musser et ux to W. R. Musser, tract of land in Millheim Boro, \$100.

W. R. Musser to Alice S. Musser, tract of land in Millheim Boro, \$100.

H. Elmer Sunday et al Exrs. to Marshall C. Musser, tract of land in Ferguson twp, \$5,200.

David Tressler et ux to J. A. Halderman, tract of land in Ferguson twp, \$3,750.

Joseph H. Heberling et ux to Margaret Sunday, tract of land in Ferguson twp, \$100.

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Centre Hall Poultry Yards

Single Comb White Leghorns exclusively. The stock that has quality by actual test. Eggs now for sale.

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Chas. D. Bartholomew CENTRE HALL, PA.

To All Our Customers For Spring Sewing—Shirtings, Gingham, Calicoes, Percales, Tickings, Pillow Case and Tubing, Bleached and Unbleached Sheetings 9-4 wide, 40-inch Muslin for Sheets, Nainsook, Longcloth and Cambrics.

White goods in all the new weaves. Embroideries, Val. and Torchon Laces at a bargain.

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Come to see us. H. F. Rossman SPRING MILLS, PA.

COURT PROCLAMATION. Whereas the Honorable Ellis L. Orris, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the county of Centre, having issued his process bearing date the 24th day of March, 1914, to me directed for holding a Court of Common Pleas, Orphans Court, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and to continue on the

THIRD MONDAY OF MAY, being the 18th day of May, 1914, and to continue two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen, and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 18th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertain to be done and those who are bound in recognizances, to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand at Bellefonte, the 22nd day of January, in the year of our Lord, 1914, and the one hundred and thirty-eighth year of the Independence of the United States of America.

ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, April 20, 1914.

IN RE Petition of Clyde Detrow for the satisfaction of a certain mortgage recorded in Book "B" pages 240, 241 and 242, in Centre County, given by Robert S. and Mattie W. Watson to John Frederick Ream.

To John Frederick Ream, mortgagee, or his heirs, executors, or administrators, and to any of all other holders or holders thereof.

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, under the Act of Assembly governing such cases, to show cause why you should not satisfy a certain mortgage recorded in Book "B" pages 240, 241 and 242, given by Robert S. and Mattie Watson, on certain tract of land situated in Potter township, Centre County, Pennsylvania, on the 31st day of May next, being May 18th, A. D. 1914, to answer the petition of Clyde Detrow and to show cause why said mortgage should not be satisfied or record.

ARTHUR B. LEE, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., April 20th, 1914.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE. Estate of Conrad Langie, deceased. The undersigned will expose at public sale or outcry, on the premises, on

FRIDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF MAY, 1914 at one o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, situate in the township of Potter, county of Centre, and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone in the middle of public road thence North seventeen and one-half degrees West 18 and six-tenths perches to stone in the middle of the public road; thence North thirty-eight and one-half degrees West twenty-three and six-tenths perches to post; thence by lands of William Colyer South forty-three and one-fourth degrees West eleven perches to post; thence by same South sixty degrees West, eleven and nine tenths perches to post; thence by lands of Daniel Horner's heirs, south thirty-eight and three-fourths degrees East six and two-tenths perches to post; thence by same North fifty-five degrees East ten and four tenths perches to post; thence by same North forty-one and one-half degrees East twenty-two and eight-tenths perches to pine stump; thence by land of W. H. Lee North fifty and one-half degrees East ten and six-tenths perches to stone, piece of beginning, containing TWO ACRES and SIXTY-FIVE PERCHES, more or less, thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings.

TERMS OF SALE—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid or secured on day of sale the balance to be paid upon confirmation of sale and delivery of deed.

N. B. SPANGLER, Administrator. 60.18

HORSE FOR SALE—Horse, weighs about 1200 pounds, good worker.—G. C. KING Spring Mills. INDIA RUNNER DUCK EGGS—India Runner Duck eggs for sale; setting of 12 eggs for 75 cents.—H. W. DINGEE, Centre Hall, Pa. (174.)

TO TRADE OR SELL—Good yearling colt, which I will trade for a good cow, or will sell. Use Bell phone or inquire of CARL BOHN, Linden Hall, Pa. 17.0.18.

Pure copper cable lightning rods put on your building, complete with points, balls and vane for 16 cents per foot. N. I. TRAIT, 950 E. 3rd St., Williamsport, Pa. (17.0.0 w.61.p'd) Brings results—A Reporter ad.

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THE RED CROSS RANGE for BEST BAKING THE delight of the housewife is bread and cakes baked as they should be. Not any stove will bring results, but you will be sure of the best bread, biscuits, and cakes if placed in the oven of a Red Cross Range. A new line of these stoves has just been received and you owe it to yourself to see them before buying elsewhere. Even if you have another make in mind satisfy yourself that the Red Cross is a better stove by giving it a careful inspection. T. L. SMITH

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