

LEHIGH REPUBLICANS, IN MONSTER BANQUET, CRITICISE OPPONENTS

County Meeting, Largest in Years, Charges Democrats With Neglect and Mismanagement

PENROSE HONOR GUEST

Resolutions Demanding Protective Tariff Adopted—Roosevelt Party Members Return to Fold

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Aug. 28.—One of the largest political gatherings in years was the Republican county meeting at Levens, ten miles north of this city today.

The resolutions adopted oppose the raising of taxes and assessments by the Democrats and charge the neglect and incompetency in building an addition to the courthouse which will cost almost half a million dollars.

MUCH LIKE A PLENTIC. There was much of the air of a picnic to the meeting, the headquarters of which was one of the oldest roadhouses in Lehigh.

Senator Penrose came from Philadelphia by auto, arriving in Allentown at 10:30. In his honor there was a dinner reception at the Lehigh Club, where he was greeted by a committee, including State Senator Horace W. Schantz, the Republican county chairman; Edwin A. Donecker, candidate for County Commissioner; former County Chairman George G. Blumer, Edward Ruhe, U. S. Litzenberg, Otto Suther, Amos D. Hutchings and many others.

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BULL MOOSERS THERE. It was noticeable that the Bull Moosers were back at the Republican county meeting, headed by former Congressman-at-large Fred E. Lewis, who told his friends that he was back as a registered Republican.

SOLDIERS SHOT IN NEW REVOLT IN PORTUGAL. Royalists Loot Military Barracks and Put the Guards There to Death. LISBON, Aug. 28.—Another Royalist revolution has broken out in Portugal. The revolt has resulted in bloodshed, but the Republican Government claims to have the situation well in hand.

POLK APPOINTMENT CERTAIN. Son-in-Law of James Potter to Succeed Lansing. Appointment of Frank L. Polk, Corporation Counsel of New York City, as Counselor of the State Department at Washington to succeed Robert Lansing, who became Secretary of State yesterday, is regarded as certain, although official confirmation has not been issued.

TWO LARGE BARN BURNED. Live Stock Saved, but Crops and Implements Destroyed. PITMAN, N. J., Aug. 28.—Two large barns, filled with summer crops and implements, were burned on James Gardner's farm on the Horvick and Cross Keys roads near here, early this morning.

State Records Commissioner Renamed. Herman V. Ames, dean of the Graduate School of the University of Pennsylvania; John W. Jordan, librarian of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania; and John F. Schuch, historian and Cross Keys road near here, early this morning.

Quells Mob's Fury to Lynch. EASTON, Md., Aug. 28.—Dinner that a mob would lynch Robert Smith, a negro, accused of assaulting a 13-year-old girl, probably was averted today by prompt action of State's Attorney Butler. He secured an order to convene the grand jury in a special session next week, satisfying crowds who demanded a speedy trial.

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VARE CANDIDACY TAKES AWAY M'NICHOLO SMILE

Congressman Moore Visits Colleague, to Find Out If He Will Run.

Terse comment on the candidacy of Congressman William S. Vare is being made in the Penrose-McNichol faction of the Republican Organization, following the filing of nomination papers for the Mayoralty by Vare.

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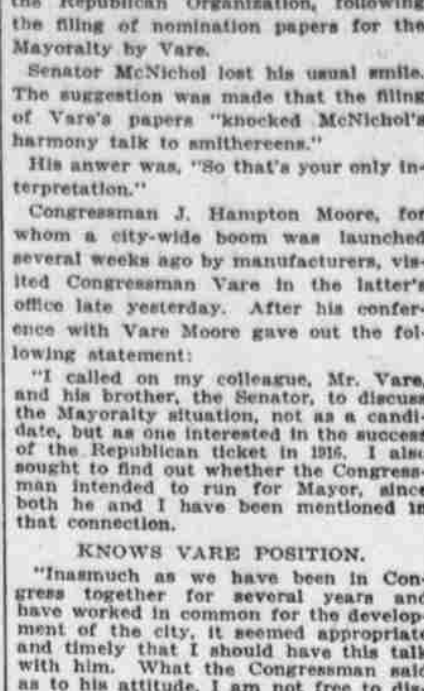
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PEPPER AS CITIZEN SOLDIER

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ALL SELF-RESPECTING BUGS RESENT ADS FOR BABY-BITER

Legions Storm City in Effort to Regain Their Lost Prestige—Quest of the Dooley Bug Goes on With Vigor That Is Unabated

Legions of indignant Philadelphia mosquitoes, fleas, bedbugs, roaches, house flies and other bugs, insects, spiders or animals are storming all parts of the city today in an effort to regain the prestige they lost when a bug, insect, spider or animal made Henry Dooley famous.

Dr. Herman Hornig, city entomologist, commander-in-chief of the forces laying siege to the mysterious baby biter in the Dooley, armed and grim-faced, has been compelled to desert this work to attend to the advancing mosquitoes, fleas, bedbugs, roaches and houseflies.

Not only the bugs, insects, spiders and animals are jealous of the nice, bright faces of the publicity spotlight in which Dooley, armed and grim-faced, has been basking. Residents of all parts of the city also want some of that illumination.

Apparently the only man in the city who doesn't want it is Doctor Hornig. He is kept so constantly in his glare now that all his moves must be made in the open, and the enemy can find out all about them.

It is impossible for him to use strategy. Kensingtonians were the first to rise up and protest against the favoritism in the matter of publicity being given to West Philadelphia and to Dooley. Their first move was a surprise attack consisting of more than 100 telephone calls to the office of Doctor Hornig beseeching him to hurry up and slay millions of mosquitoes, fleas, bugs, spiders and roaches in Kensington.

In the meantime Dooley is still on GUARDSMEN LEAVE TO OFFICIATE AT FAIR. Battalion of Second Regiment Entrain—Will Escort Governor Brumbaugh

A provisional battalion of the 2d Regiment of Infantry, N. G. P., left the Reading Terminal at 2:30 today for the Exposition grounds at San Francisco to act as the official escort for Governor Brumbaugh on Pennsylvania Day, September 4.

The battalion consisted of four companies, including the 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th. The guardsmen were picked for their attendance and rifle-practice records. They wore new olive-drab uniforms and moved in full marching order.

Colonel Hamilton D. Turner headed the battalion with Lieutenant Colonel Charles J. Ross, Major M. J. Pickering and Lieutenant Joseph Moorehead, battalion adjutant. The companies were commanded by Captains James M. Francis, George A. Morrison, Frank P. Rudat and J. G. Cranage.

The funds for the trip were raised by the men through public subscription and by an appropriation of \$5000 by Council. The guardsmen assembled at the 2d Regiment Armory at 1:30 and marched to the Reading Terminal, where they were met by the Pennsylvania National Guard.

The entire trip will take 21 days. The westward itinerary includes Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago, Denver and Salt Lake City. In San Francisco the command will encamp on the Presidio, the United States Military Reservation adjoining the Exposition grounds and overlooking the Golden Gate. The return trip will be made over the southern route with brief stops at San Jose, Big Trees, Santa Cruz, Del Monte, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles and San Diego, where a full day will be spent at the Panama-California Exposition.

The meals for the trip will be furnished by the Commissary Department under the direction of Commissary Sergeant Harry Rich and Captain George W. Ingram, regimental commissary. The men will be obliged to pay for their own shoes at the rate of 25 cents per meal.

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JENNIE WALLACE GIRL STRANGELY MISSING

Disappeared From Her Home a Week Ago

Seventeen-year-old Jennie Wallace has been missing from her home, 2307 East Somerset street, for a week. Her mother today asked the police of the Trenton avenue and Dauphin streets station to aid her in her search.

Until last Friday Miss Wallace lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace. She was employed at the Notams Hosiery Company, Oxford and Mascher streets. She came home at noon last Friday complaining that she was ill. After resting until 3 o'clock she dressed and told her mother she was going for her errand. Her mother has not seen her since.

Inquiry at the hosiery factory disclosed the fact that she has not been employed there since August 11, and had no pay due her. Max Greenlee, of Frankford, a friend of Miss Greenlee's, has been at the house several times to inquire if there has been any news of her, and he too is aiding in the search.

PORTER TO RUN; ALCORN FOR CITY SOLICITOR. Continued from Page One. Sheriff; for Thomas F. Armstrong, Sheriff, and for William West Coroner. The independent today took steps to complete the ticket with which they will fight the election of the Republican Organization candidates for Mayor and the "Row" offices.

The ticket as discussed follows: Mayor GEORGE D. PORTER, City Solicitor SAMUEL B. SCOTT, Sheriff GEORGE D. COX or POWELL EVANS, Recorder of Deeds WILLIAM F. DEAKYNE or POWELL EVANS, Coroner DR. PHILIP H. MOORE, City Controller JOHN M. WATSON, Clerk of the Courts BENJAMIN RENSHAW.

A majority of the members of the Committee of One Hundred favor the candidacy of Porter, but he has not been endorsed by the committee as yet. This action probably will be taken, however, at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Committee of One Hundred next Wednesday.

None of the names connected with any of the "Row" offices has been definitely determined upon. Members of the committee today made it clear that the ticket named above has only been put forth as a suggestion, and that changes may be made before the independents' ticket is finally endorsed.

SCOTT'S RECORD. Samuel B. Scott, mentioned as the independent candidate for City Solicitor, was a Washington party candidate for the Legislature in 1912 from the Germantown district. He was defeated for re-election by a narrow margin in the Republican landslide last fall.

George D. Cox has been endorsed for Sheriff by the Washington Party City Committee. He is Select Councilman from the 4th Ward. Powell Evans was chairman of the body of business men who brought about a reorganization of the Committee of 100 and who took the first step in the campaign of the independents this year.

William F. Deakayne is a former Washington party leader. He was treasurer of the Washington Party City Committee in 1912 and 1913.

There is apparently no indication of any plan of the independents to oppose the re-election of Captain Walton, and it is probable that he will be endorsed by the Committee of 100.

Philip H. Moore, who is being urged by the independents to enter the contest for Coroner, is a powerful independent leader in West Philadelphia. He lost a seat in the present Common Council to which his friends thought he had been elected two years ago, when the courts decided in an election contest in favor of Dr. William D. Bacon, an Organization Lieutenant. Magistrate Benjamin Renshaw, who will most probably make the fight against Thomas W. Cunningham for Clerk of the Courts, is a Washington Party man and was formerly committing Magistrate at City Hall.

NEW NAME SECRET. Plans for putting the new municipal party in the field for the campaign this fall were made at the meeting last night, which was attended by the campaign Committee of the Committee of 100 and by workers and prominent citizens from nearly every ward in the city. The name of the new party will be kept a secret until the party is formally organized.

The committee has until October 12 in which to pre-empt the title for the new party. Some time before that date five men shall be named who will be in charge of the independent headquarters at 213 South Broad street and will sign the pre-emption papers together. Then the committee will be taken to the County Commissioners' office and the new party name filed in just before filing.

The purpose of the new party, it was explained at the meeting last night, is to provide a means to gain the support of voters who do not want to be identified with any of the three national parties. The new party will be purely municipal in its scope.

A special Porter campaign club was organized in the 2d Ward last night. The club was organized last Thursday night in an effort to have the Director's home Ward Committee endorse him, so last night the Porter men on the Ward Committee met and formed a separate organization. John Baasford is chairman and James H. Carmit secretary of the new club.

Porter was endorsed for Mayor by the Washington party committee of the 2d, 8th, 19th and 24th Wards last night.

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Facts Versus Fallacies

FACT is a real state of things. FALLACY is an apparently genuine but really illogical statement or argument.

AN INTERESTING and illumining article entitled "Alcoholism and Crime" (now in its second edition) has been written by Thomas Speed Mosby, member of American Institute Criminal Law and Criminology and former Pardon Attorney of Missouri. Some extracts from this analytical and thoughtful treatise follow. Says Mr. Mosby:

"THE STATEMENT has been freely made that 75 per cent. of the crime of the United States is due to the use of alcoholic drinks. That statement is not true of any State in the American Union, nor is it true of the United States, nor of any foreign nation. Penal statistics do indicate that from 20 per cent. to 50 per cent. of the population of the various American states prisons have been addicted in some degree to the use of intoxicating liquors, but in all my professional reading and official experience I have never learned of any penitentiary containing a total inebriate population of as much as 20 per cent."

"FORTY per cent. of the inmates of this penitentiary are victims of intemperance, says a prison warden. He would have said substantially the same thing had he declared that 60 per cent. of his convicts were men of temperate habits and sober lives. But the fact that 60 per cent. of a prison population are men of temperate habits is no argument against intemperance, nor is the fact that 40 per cent. of them have used alcoholic drinks an argument against intemperance. It would be just as rational to attack the Prohibitionists because a sober man commits a crime as it is to assail the practice of drinking alcoholic beverages when a drunken man commits a crime of similar nature."

"AND WE sometimes forget that millions of men have frequented the drink shops without the slightest taint of criminality having been developed in them or their posterity, and that many notorious crooks have been men of abstemious lives. If a defaulting bank cashier was a drinking man, 'Booze got him,' but if he was a model temperance man, 'It's a pity to see such a good man go wrong!' I personally never knew of a great criminal who was a great drunkard either by reason of heredity, or otherwise, but have known many who were not."

"DR. AUSTIN O'MALLEY, of Philadelphia, in an interesting study of this subject, published in March, 1913, says: 'A man may be an alcoholic because he is primarily a criminal, as well as a criminal because he is an alcoholic; yet a drunken criminal and the statistician both are inclined to make alcoholism the cause.'"

"GIVE AN inordinate quantity of alcoholic drink in equal portions to each of a half dozen men, and the effect will be the same upon no two of them. One may become merry, another sad, another hostile, another indifferent, while others may exhibit no effects at all. Physiology may explain these differences, but sociology does not. Certainly they cannot be altered by the status of any State. Individual characteristics are the determining factors in each case. You cannot get some men drunk enough to induce them to commit a crime, nor can you induce them to keep some other men out of trouble."

"IS IT NOT a FALLACY to say that drink causes crime, when it is a FACT, vouched for by an authority on Criminology, that 60 per cent. of the inmates of prisons are not drinkers?"

Philadelpha Lager Beer Brewers' Association (The next article will appear Wednesday, September 1st)

PRESIDENT AGAINST CHANGES IN TARIFF BY NEXT CONGRESS

Unalterably Opposed to Any Revision With Possible Exception of the Sugar Schedule

LAW NOT YET TESTED. WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—With the possible exception of the sugar schedule, President Wilson is expected unalterably to oppose any revision of the tariff at the coming session of Congress. He has told Senator Simmons, Representative Kitchin and other Congressional leaders that the present tariff law has not had a fair chance to show what it can do.

And he believes that it should be retained with only minor changes. Even on the question of sugar the President has not yet taken a positive stand. He is waiting investigations of cost of production now being made by the Agricultural Department.

The President has admitted to those who have discussed the matter with him that much money will have to be provided by the next Congress for extraordinary expenses, and especially for the national defense. But this money, he believes, should be raised by the issuance of short-term notes or short-term bonds.

Such an issue the President believes would be very popular throughout the country. It also is the intention of the Administration to ask that the war taxes now in force, which automatically expire in December, be renewed for another year. It is possible that revisions will be made in the existing taxable articles, but this has not yet been determined.

PEACHES GLUT CITY MARKET. Dealers Attempt to Check Influx of Record-Breaking Crop

Commission merchants on Dock street are trying today to check shipments of peaches from Delaware and New Jersey. So great has been the influx of the fruit during the last few days that a glut on the market resulted and prices came down lower than at any time in the memory of the local merchants.

Peaches today are selling for as little as five cents a basket in some cases. It is said that more peaches are coming into the city than at any other time during the last 10 years. Not in years has the New Jersey and Delaware crop been so good. The overabundance of peaches will seriously affect the farmers and pile thousands of dollars loss on the losses already sustained by inability to dispose of vegetables this year. Tons of peaches are lying in the fields uncollected and the demand increases it is likely the farmer will not trouble to pick them.

COSTS HER \$25,000 TO WED. Father's Will Reveals Punishment for Secret Marriage

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Because she married without her father's consent, as his will states, Mrs. Annie Schriver McElroy, of New City, loses \$25,000, according to the document, just probated by Surrogate McCauley, of Rockland County. In his will John Schriver made it clear that had his daughter married with his approval, he would have left one-half of his estate, which is valued at \$50,000, to her. Instead she gets only \$20,000. The rest goes to his son.

"TUT, TUT, COLONEL!" GARRISON'S ANSWER TO ROOSEVELT THRUST

"When You Stub Your Toe, Now, You Are Too Old to Cry," War Secretary Tells Him

SAYS CASE IS CLOSED. WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—"Tut, tut, Colonel," Secretary of War Garrison's reply to former President Roosevelt's attack of last night. The Secretary prepared a statement in answer to Roosevelt which he gave out today. It follows: "The case is closed and the verdict must stand."

"There is nothing in Mr. Roosevelt's plea to reopen the case that would make it proper to do so. The personal and official ratings of the views of the Wood and myself concern us and do not properly concern Mr. Roosevelt. I do not require Mr. Roosevelt's assistance to determine what I should do and I seriously doubt if the General does."

"The Administration (outside of myself) has had nothing whatever to do with this matter, and Mr. Roosevelt, therefore, could not have obtained any authentic knowledge of the views of the Administration concerning his speech of his conduct from anything that I have said or do now."

"As to his assumption that I object to the making of strong speeches for proper military preparedness, it would be possible for him to entertain a more unwarranted one. I have gone to the limit of my vocabulary in an endeavor to make such pleas just as strong as words could make them. If he has found some stronger than I was able to find, he runs the risk that I will borrow them."

"He will, I feel sure, permit me to do so much, without requiring also to borrow his idea that our present state of unpreparedness makes it desirable to engage in war with four or five other nations."

"As to 'buffoonery'—tut tut! Colonel! Remember that when you stub your toe, now, you are too old to cry, even if it hurts too much to laugh."

Auto Thieves Blow Postoffice Safe. ELSDRED, Pa., Aug. 28.—Robbers shortly before daylight today blew the safe of the postoffice here and escaped with between \$200 and \$300 in stamps and a bag of mail. Tracks led officials to think the bandits escaped by automobile to the south.

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