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EDITORIAL.

PRIMARY ELECTION.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION AND COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic voters of Centre county will meet at the regular places for holding the general elections, in their respective election districts, on Saturday, May 31, 1902, to elect delegates to the county convention.

Under the rules of the party the election will be opened at 3 p. m., and close at 7 p. m. The delegates chosen at the above stated time will meet in the court house, in Bellefonte, on Tuesday, June 3rd, 1902, at 12 o'clock, noon, to nominate one candidate for Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphans' Court, two candidates for Legislature, one candidate for Senate, one candidate for Recorder, one candidate for Sheriff, two candidates for County Commissioner, one candidate for County Auditor, four delegates to the next Democratic state convention, three congressional delegates, three senatorial delegates; to elect a chairman of the county committee, to serve from January 1st, 1903, to January 1st, 1904, and to transact such other business as may appear before the convention in the interest of the party.

APPORTIONMENT OF DELEGATES.

The number of delegates to which each district is entitled as approved and ratified by the county committee is as follows:

BOROUGH.	
Bellefonte, N. W.	2
" " S. W.	4
" " W. W.	4
Centre Hall	1
Howard	1
Millsburg	1
Millheim	1
Philipsburg	1
Philipsburg	1
South Philipsburg	1
State College	1
Unionville	1
TOWNSHIPS.	
Benner, N.	1
" " S.	1
Boggs, N.	1
" " E.	1
Burnside	1
College	1
Carlisle	1
Ferguson, E.	1
" " W.	1
Gregg, N.	1
" " E.	1
Haines, E.	1
" " W.	1
Half Moon	1
Harris	1
Howard	1
Huston	1
Liberty	1
Marion	1
Miles, E.	1
" " M.	1
Patton	1
Penn	1
Potter, N.	1
" " S.	1
" " W.	1
Rush, N.	1
" " S.	1
Snow Shoe, E.	1
" " W.	1
Spring, N.	1
" " S.	1
" " W.	1
Taylor	1
Walker, E.	1
" " M.	1
Worth	1
Total	86

Candidates to be Voted For.

Bellefonte, Pa., May 12th, 1902.
Thereby certify that in accordance with Rule 17, of the Democratic party of Centre county, requiring the registration of all candidates at least three weeks prior to the primary election, the following named persons have duly registered and are eligible to be voted for at the primaries.

- For State Senate: W. C. HEINLE, of Bellefonte.
 - For Assembly: J. W. KEPLER, of Ferguson Twp. ROBT. FOSTER, of State College. J. H. WETZEL, of Bellefonte.
 - For Sheriff: H. S. TAYLOR, of Bellefonte. BURDINE BUTLER, of Howard Twp.
 - For Register: A. G. ARCHER, of Ferguson Twp.
 - For Recorder: JNO. C. ROWE, of Philipsburg. FRANK A. FURMAN, of Centre Hall.
 - For Treasurer: W. J. CARLIN, of Miles Twp. A. P. ZERBY, of Penn Twp. JNO. L. ARNET, of Potter Twp.
 - For Commissioner: W. E. FRANK, of Rush Twp. E. A. HUMPTON, of Snow Shoe Twp. F. H. MEYER, of Harris Twp. ISAAC FRANK, of Marion Twp. HENRY HEATON, of Boggs Twp. JOHN L. DUNLAP, of Spring Twp.
 - For Auditor: J. H. BECK, of Walker Twp. W. H. TIBBENS, of College Twp.
 - For County Chairman: S. D. GETTIS, of Bellefonte. D. F. FORTNEY, of Bellefonte.
- Witness my hand this day and year aforesaid.
Attest:-
Wm. J. SINGER, JNO. J. BOWER,
Sec. Chairman.

HASTINGS WITH QUAY.

In an interview, published in the Philadelphia Press, on Tuesday, Gen. D. H. Hastings comes out in a strong endorsement of Quay's candidate for Governor, Judge Pennypacker, of Philadelphia. He is for Quay's man all over, and strong in his denunciation of Elkin and the Stone administration. Not many moons have waxed and waned since Daniel found that his vocabulary was totally inadequate in denouncing Quay, Quay men, Quay measures and anything of the Quay stripe. This flop of Hastings is amusing to the crowd, somewhat of a surprise, but then politics makes some strange bedfellows.

SENATOR WM. C. HEINLE, on Monday, was at DuBois, to attend a meeting for the purpose of formulating a set of rules for the regulation of the Democratic conference for nominating congressman in this the 21st district. We are in a new district, under the recent apportionment, and this was the first gathering for that purpose.

-W. L. Douglas' shoes for Men-Mingle's.

THE WILL OF THE BOSS

Quay's Domineering Tactics Shown Up In True Colors. (Philadelphia Times.)

In all the history of Republican institutions it may be doubted if a situation ever was presented exactly parallel with that existing in Pennsylvania today. It is the most wonderful exhibition of the power of the "boss" that even this state has seen under the long developing system of which Senator Quay is the consummate exponent.

The people of Pennsylvania are about to elect a governor, and the Republican party, of which Senator Quay is the head, is to nominate a candidate. This is to be done, as usual, by means of the "organization," which acts under the direction of the central authority, and the machinery was early put in motion to nominate the designated candidate in due form. While this is going on Senator Quay is persuaded that another candidate would be more agreeable to some of his friends and he abruptly countermands the orders. He does not say what other candidate he prefers. He simply directs the Republicans of the state that they are not to elect any more delegates for Elkin, but are to elect delegates who will hold themselves subject to his further instructions. He will tell them for whom to vote when he is ready. They are by no means to exercise any choice of their own.

This may not differ in result from the old plan of electing delegates instructed for local favorites, with a view to the transfer of their votes at the convention, but that plan, at least, maintained the appearance of some freedom of choice. All this pretense is now cast aside. Mr. Quay's present orders are, in effect, that the delegates to the convention shall be chosen with the understanding that they will do whatever he shall tell them. They are not to be instructed for Elkin, nor for another; they are to be instructed for X, an unknown quantity. By this means the entry of any individual candidates into the contest is to be prevented. There is to be no opportunity for any man to make himself or his qualifications known. The choice is to be left entirely to Quay.

This demand is put forward without disguise. Mr. Quay does not pretend that the convention is to choose the candidate; he merely says that he has not yet determined upon who the candidate shall be. He is examining the various applicants, but will not announce his decision until the near approach of the convention, which will then officially ratify his choice. Strange as it may appear, the only earnest objection to this autocratic assumption comes from the friends of the candidate whose whole claim is based upon the fidelity with which he has represented Quay and his system. Elkin has been one of the chief instruments of the machine in applying discipline to insurgents, "ripping" out one man to put in another, and he has no logical ground on which to protest when the ripping is applied to him. The wonderful feature of the situation is that Republicans who profess to be opposed to the machine methods acquiesce in this insolent despotism and are preparing to take their orders from Quay, as though he alone was the Republican party in Pennsylvania—as apparently he is. If ever there is to be any political independence in this community, it must be won by the absolute separation of all self-respecting people from this whole infamous system and the defeat of whatever candidates may represent it, whether they be personally good or bad. Stone and Elkin became obnoxious because they obeyed Quay's orders in contempt of public morality. Now he coolly throws them aside and demands that he be allowed to select other tools at his own convenience. And, what is most astounding, he is praised and upheld in this by Republicans who have heretofore posed as reformers and now scamper to get under the Quay umbrella.

WHAT THEY SAY

Extracts From Various Sources, Indicating Democratic Opinion On Questions of the Day.

Anything more inequitable and unjust than our insistence that Americans shall have rights of domicile in China, while we deny to the Chinese similar rights in this country, it would be difficult to conceive of.—Boston Herald (Ind.).

It is a trifle funny that Attorney General Elkin never discovered that Quay's methods are brutal until now, though they have been the same from the beginning of his reign as party boss. For example, the ripping up of a government by the people and throwing out of officials elected by the people for a stated term was brutal, yet Elkin concurred in it. The railroading of franchise grab legislation through both houses within a week was brutal, but Elkin regarded it with the highest favor. Truly it makes a vast difference whose ox is gored.—Harrisburg Star (Ind.).

"There are many who tell us that we must depart from the traditions of our country and become one of those nations that must soon grapple for possessions in the far east. Consider well that in going into active life with these ideas, you turn your backs on the principle left to us by Washington—that this nation should be of itself, the principle to which our nation owes its prosperity, its progress and its independence. I am of those who would hold to an old, safe course, and not commit ourselves to a new one that leads—we know not where."—President Gilman, John Hopkins University.

VARIETY OF COUNTY NEWS.

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Pacific R. R., bringing with him many of the different minerals, also a Siempre vivo flag.

Services on Port Matilda charge for Sunday, May 18, as follows: Port Matilda, 10:30; Martha, 2:30; Julian, 7:30. And on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock May 22, in the M. E. church, at Port Matilda, Pa., the Rev. J. C. Young, of New Washington, Pa., will deliver his famous lecture entitled; "America." This is a patriotic lecture and no one should fail to hear it. Everybody welcome. No admission will be charged at door. A silver collection for church work. All come out. E. S. Latshaw, pastor.

O. T. Switzer, of Philipsburg, during his journey of exploration through Alaska and British Columbia succeeded in locating what he believes to be one of the richest gold placer mines that the world has ever seen, some of the gravel and dirt running as high as \$56 per cubic yard. The full extent of his property is 1,280 acres. Mr. Switzer has succeeded in interesting some prominent Philadelphians in his property. He will return north in July to install his machinery and begin taking out the gold from the richest parts of the property.

IN ADJOINING COUNTIES.

The tenth annual tournament of the Altoona Rod and Gun club will take place in the Mountain City on May 30th and 31st.

Professor Rudy, superintendent of the public schools of Huntingdon county, was re-elected almost without opposition last week.

The nineteenth annual meeting of the Bigler Campmeeting Association will begin August 15th this year and continue 10 days. The ground is near Clearfield.

William Brew, the 16-year-old son of Florist Brew, of Jersey Shore, left for parts unknown on Tuesday after taking \$50 that had been stored in a trunk in the house.

Prof. Alfred Bierly, of Chicago, has made a claim on the Rhode Island Society of Cincinnati for a gold medal for his composition entitled "Hymn of Our Nation." He is a Centre county boy who has won fame as a composer.

Two Hungarians cut down a tree near Patton Wednesday evening. It was close to the road, and fell just as H. D. Allison, a prominent hotel keeper of Patton, was driving past in his buggy. The tree struck the buggy and injured Allison so badly that he died in an hour.

Kalp & Co., the prop timber jobbers, have sixteen Italian laborers at work in the mountains east of Carroll, Clinton county, extending their railroad northwest toward Ft. Zimmerman. Duncan & Co., will extend their railroad westward into Green township in a few weeks.

Mrs. Fred Stroup, of Cataract, Clearfield county, fell dead Thursday while holding her babe in her arms. The cries of the child attracted the father from the store. He found the body of his wife on the floor with the babe a few feet away. Mrs. Stroup died of heart disease and was 26 years old.

Three young bicycle riders of Tyrone, came upon a black snake stretched across the road which leads up to Hundred Springs park. The snake measured five feet and thirteen inches in length and six inches round. The measuring was accomplished after the boys had killed the snake.

Hon. J. M. Fredericks, of Lock Haven, is after an agricultural experiment station in Clinton county. He is especially interested in the culture of tobacco and has offered five acres of ground with the hope that the U. S. government will establish a station there for the special purpose of fostering its growth.

John A. Shaeffer, of Lewistown, an employe in the axle plant at the Standard Steel works, while engaged in his work at one of the furnaces last week was suddenly stricken with blindness, due to a rupture of a blood vessel. He was taken to a Philadelphia hospital on Friday, where he was told the loss of his sight would be permanent.

The Lock Haven Express says that Frank Sanderson on Sunday last found the skeleton of an Indian in a washout that had been made by recent floods near Lock Haven. It was in perfect preservation, but all the bones except those of the arm and skull crumbled to pieces when touched. Several flint arrow heads and vessels of clay were found near the skeleton.

The jury in the libel suit of C. K. Fisher against Editor Bangert, of the Falls Creek Herald, brought in a verdict at Clearfield Thursday night acquitting Bangert. The Herald by cartoons and sharp articles charged Fisher with running a questionable hotel. Judge Gordon, who was one of the witnesses for the defendant, admitted that he had received a dressed turkey before one of the courts at which Fisher received a liquor license.

The remains of a dead man, supposed to be the body of George Maxwell, who disappeared from Houtzdale in November, were found in the woods near Sandy Ridge, Tuesday evening 6th. The body was so badly decomposed as to make identification a very difficult thing. Mr. Maxwell is reported to have had an insurance of \$10,000 on his life. Two years ago a barber by the name of Frank

Elison came to Sandy Ridge. He left some of his clothing, and started to walk across the mountain. Since that time nothing has been heard of him, nor did he arrive at Christ Shearer's, near Hannah Furnace, the place of his destination. He had some barber tools with him and wore a heavy black overcoat. Some think the body of the dead man found might be the missing barber.

RECENT DEATHS.

MRS. JACOB HICKS:—Died Wednesday morning 7th, of diseases incident to old age, at her home at Stormstown, aged 75 years. She was a member of the Methodist church.

WM. EISENHUTH:—Died at Ingleby, Haines twp., Sunday morning from paralysis, at the advanced age of 92 years. Interment in the Boston Musser cemetery. He was one of the pioneers of that section and a man of sterling qualities.

FORD WASSON:—Infant child of Chas. and Bessie Robb, died in Johnsonburg. Interment was made at Romola. Mr. Robb was born and raised in Curtin twp., and was a son of Wm. Robb, jury commissioner. Altho this was but a "child's funeral" the church was filled with sympathizing friends who came to condole the parents in the loss of their first born.

MRS. ROY HOOVER:—Died at her home, near State College, on the 4th. She had been ill for many months with pulmonary trouble. She is survived by her husband and one little boy of three summers, one brother, S. I. Poorman, and two sisters, Mrs. Harry Markel and Mrs. Chas. Harman. She was a daughter of James and Eliza Poorman, of Boalsburg. Age 29 years.

JAMES HEYERLY:—An old resident of Milesburg, died at his home in that place Friday morning. He has been ill for the past six months. He was aged 69 years, a puddler by occupation and for the last forty years has been employed at McCoy & Linn's Iron works. Surviving him are his wife, one brother, Charles, of Bellefonte, and a sister, Mrs. Wm. H. Hunter, of Axe Mann.

HENRY T. HARVEY:—With a suddenness that was shocking Henry T. Harvey, Esq., a prominent attorney of Lock Haven, fell in the court house at that place Wednesday, and in a few minutes expired. Mr. Harvey, was cross examining Dr. J. H. Hayes. The attorney arose from his chair and took a step toward the witness. A flush spread over his countenance and he exclaimed, "Doctor I'm fainting." The physician replied "lie down, quickly." Mr. Harvey reached for the chair and sank backwards towards the floor. The men near him caught him and laid him gently on his back. Dr. Hayes administered an injection, but it was of no avail. Mr. Harvey did not speak or move a muscle after he sank to the floor. His heart simply ceased to perform its functions.

ELLIS IRWIN:—Died on Saturday afternoon at his home in Lick Run Mills, Clearfield county. The deceased was born in Bald Eagle valley, this county, not far from Bellefonte, and was just rounding out his 95th year. He was educated at Bellefonte Academy. On January 10, 1872, he married Hannah Iddings, a lady of marked intelligence and worth. His wife died in Feb. 1881. Ellis Irwin has always been an adherent of the Quaker faith. In 1829 moved to Clearfield county, buying a farm at or near Grampan, and four years later engaged in the hotel business at Curwensville, remaining three years. In 1835 he was appointed to the office of prothonotary, register, recorder, and clerk of the courts in Clearfield, to fill a vacancy, and at the end of the term was elected for a full term of three years.

What! In These Prosperous Days.

The handsome house of the Young Men's Republican club at Williamsport, is to be sold by the sheriff May 31. Since it was erected in 1893 there has been a mortgage of \$15,000 against it. Failure of the club to pay the interest is the cause of foreclosure.

Weather Report.

Weekly report—Bellefonte Station.

DATE	TEMPERATURE
1902	Maximum Minimum
May 8, clear	74 43
9, clear	75 50
10, part cloudy	51 33
11, clear	67 42
12, part cloudy	75 42
13, cloudy	76 51
14, clear	71 26

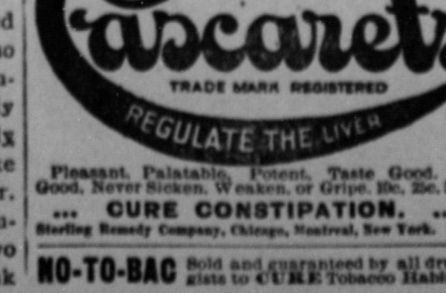
Rain > On 12, forenoon, .70 inch.

—Women's \$2.00 Oxfords \$1.75—Mingle's.

TAPE WORMS

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the name of WM. C. HEINLE, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for State Senate, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention and the district conference.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. S. TAYLOR, of Bellefonte, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of BURDINE BUTLER, of Howard, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

REGISTER.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. G. ARCHER, of Ferguson township, as a candidate for Register, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN C. ROWE, of Philipsburg, as a candidate for Recorder, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. A. FURMAN, of Centre Hall, as a candidate for Recorder, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

ASSEMBLY.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. H. WETZEL, of the North Ward of Bellefonte, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. KEPLER, of Ferguson township, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of ROBERT M. FOSTER, of State College, as a candidate for Assembly, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of AARON F. ZERBY, of Penn township, as a candidate for Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. J. CARLIN, of Miles township, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. J. ARNET, of Potter township, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. F. ALEXANDER, of Centre Hall, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of PHILIP MEYER, of Harris twp., as a candidate for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. E. FRANK, of Rush township, as a candidate for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY HEATON, of N. P. Boggs, a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN DUNLAP, of Spring twp., as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of ISAAC S. FRANK, of Marion township, for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Centre County Convention.

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