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EDITORIAL.

There aren't much Love for political judges.

EVERYBODY says John Noll will "do up" the other fellow Nicely.

UNDER the surface things were not lovely in the G. O. P. county convention; there are Daily mutterings that it's doings were not Nicely, it echoes over hill and Dale, and many will not want Lamb on the r'bill of fare.

THE combined efforts of 1,500,000 American Women representing the League of Women's Organizations, are to be directed towards having both the Republican and Democratic parties insert an anti-Mormon plank in their national platforms at the coming convention.

ALL but two or three of Pennsylvania's millionaires are republicans and have been mentioned for the senate in Quay's place. The G. O. P. has no use in the senate for anyone, not a millionaire. How encouraging for us honest, but poor fellows; none but millionaires need apply.

DULL TIMES, the highest prices for the necessities of life, and the highest protective tariff taxation the world ever knew—such are the conditions that prevail in this country. Is it not full time to reduce this taxation, and thus afford relief from the high prices it tends to create?

It will be amusing to see how the Gazette writes up the account of Tuesday's convention. The article will be interesting more for what it evades and omits than what it publishes. We bank our reputation that the correct story appears in this issue of the Centre Democrat and an honest delegate will tell you so.

THOS. DONACHY, the patriotic old Veteran and janitor of the court house, had the big flag in front of the building on Tuesday when the Republican Convention met and in the court room the "stars and stripes" were effectively placed on either side of the Chairman's desk. When Comrade John Daley, the only one of the candidates for legislature who ever fought for the flag, was knocked out, none felt worse than Donachy. He felt that the flags were of little account in politics.

THE Supreme Court has administered a stinging rebuke to the lawyers of the State for the verbosity exhibited by the members of the bar in the cases submitted to the higher court. In an opinion just received by the prothonotary of Schuylkill county, the Supreme Court says the lawyers need editorial capacity to condense their paper books, and warns attorneys that the court's judgment of the importance of a case is not at all influenced by the enormous size of the paper books submitted.

"OVER THE MOUNTAIN."

Alluding to the democratic county nomination made last week, the Gazette, in an article written by— makes its usual (?) profound centre shot. It says:

"As the ticket stands the other side of the mountain is barren of recognition while Bellefonte hugs all the offices."

There the Gazette, as ever, again goes off half-cocked. For judge, the nominee of course could not have come from elsewhere than Bellefonte. For district attorney, the nominee could not have fallen to any one than Mr. Runkle because he had no competitor, and he virtually is a Pennsylvania gentleman as much as the Gazette man. For assembly, Pennsylvania gets Hon. J. W. Kepler. As for John Noll, he was born and lived the greater part of his life at Pleasant Gap. Mr. Noll was a gallant soldier in the civil war and is an honored veteran in the G. A. R., but being nominated by the democrats for assembly, the Gazette's allusions show that its love for the soldier is not even skin deep. For prothonotary, Pennsylvania gets Arthur B. Kimpfort, of Harris township. The "hog" in the matter, it will be seen was acted by—, the fellow who wrote the misleading article for the Gazette. What fell to Bellefonte, could not be avoided, while "the other side of the mountain" came out with a full share.

If the Gazette scans over the ticket the Republicans nominated they will not find a Pennsylvania man on it, nor a farmer or old soldier. Therefore its criticism is not fair, neither consistent.

CONVENTION NOTES.

In another column we endeavor to give a complete and accurate report of the Republican County Convention, on last Tuesday. In this article we will take up a few side issues:

JOHN G. LOVE, it is useless to say anything for or against him. His career on the bench for ten years is practically made, and upon that record he must stand before the people. His judicial record covers more than the mere number of appeals to the supreme court and the reversals. It embraces his career as a petty politician, as one who has been in too close touch with notorious rum sellers in certain parts of the county. He is known over the state as a "Politician on the Bench," and for which our courts do not command the confidence and respect of the community.

GEORGE E. LAMB, nominated for prothonotary, resides in Philipsburg. We have no personal acquaintance with him. For a number of years he was proprietor of a wholesale liquor house in Philipsburg, and at present is a bar tender at the Passmore hotel. We know nothing of his clerical ability or fitness for prothonotary. Jacob Bible, of Potter twp., whom he defeated, is a farmer in summer time and during the winters for years has successfully taught school throughout Pennsylvally. He is said to be a fine penman, a scholar and a true gentleman, deserving in every respect. Newton S. Bailey, famous as a temperance advocate and churchworker, was also a candidate for prothonotary, but was turned down cold and did not come near the convention.

PHIL WOMELSDORF, for legislature, is from Philipsburg. He is a political rooster who, when in the legislature, was a ringster—supported all the infamous measures that came up and ungratefully fought Gov. Hastings at that time. His record will be published more fully later. He is also credited with helping to bring about the defeat of H. R. Curtin.

JOHN KNISELY, for legislature, is from Bellefonte. He resided here most of his life, having been connected with the Bellefonte Glass works for a number of years. Since that burned down he has been interested in running a billiard and pool room on Allegheny street. As this is his first political venture, he has no official record.

In this connection we would say that it is openly asserted by the defeated candidates and their friends, that at the primaries, on Saturday, kegs of beer were sent up into the Buffalo Run valley, out in Spring township, down the lower Bald Eagle valley and to other places and that it was used for securing votes for legislature. Dale and Daley say they had no hand in it, and the implication rests upon either Womelsdorf or Kniseley. There is ample time and opportunity for them to explain.

John A. Daley, of Curtin twp., a farmer and an old soldier, also A. A. Dale one of Bellefonte's ablest orators and attorneys, aspired for this nomination and fell by the wayside.

H. H. HARSHBERGER, for district attorney, is one of Bellefonte's attorneys. The nomination came to him as a gift and he cares very little whether he gets the office or not.

D. W. PLETCHER, for county surveyor, is of Howard. The office is of little importance and no attention will be paid to it.

The ticket can hardly be called a strong one. There is no nominee on it from Pennsylvania, nor is there a representative farmer in the lot as they turned down farmers Bible and Daley, the latter also one of the best soldiers the county ever produced. When they knocked out Al Dale they deserted a man of recognized ability who could have ably represented this community in our legislative halls.

ESTIMATES OF ORVIS.

From Lock Haven Democrat:
 "The nomination for judge of the courts of Centre county made by the Democrats of that county last Tuesday was conferred upon a gentleman in every way worthy of the distinguished honor. Ellis L. Orvis, the nominee, stands deservedly well with the bar of the state. He is not only a well-equipped lawyer, but he has the judicial mind, the peculiar fitness for the bench which is found in a thoroughly balanced mental organization, a quality absolutely necessary to the impartial administration of justice. Without intending to disparage the qualifications of his opponent for the office, or in any way attempting to influence a single vote in the judicial election in Centre county, we cannot refrain from saying that the people of that county cannot fail to choose an able, just and upright judge by electing Ellis L. Orvis."

From Clearfield Republican:
 "The ticket is an exceedingly strong one and will sweep Centre county in November as sure as the sun shines. Ellis L. Orvis, candidate for judge, is much stronger than his party will give credit for. He will defeat the present incumbent, John G. Love, by a large majority. Already the most prominent Republicans of Centre county concede Judge Love's defeat by Ellis L. Orvis in November. They are even conceding Orvis as much as twelve hundred majority now. By election time it ought to reach two thousand or more."

From Public Spirit, Clearfield:
 "The Democratic primaries held in Centre county Saturday last, resulted as follows: For Judge Ellis L. Orvis; Legislature John Noll and J. W. Kepler; Prothonotary, Arthur Kimpfort; District Attorney, G. W. Runkle. A strong and winning ticket and no doubt about it."

Flattery tickles a woman's vanity and opens a man's pocket book.

JUNE WEDDINGS.



A DOUBLE WEDDING.

The hospitable home of Hon. John A. Daley, of Curtin twp., was all astir Wednesday, June 8th, it being the occasion of the marriage of his accomplished daughter, Miss Annie and Harry Yearick, of Nittany; and of Mr. Daley's youngest son, Franklin, to Miss Blanche Oyler, formerly, of Johnsonburg, but now of Curtin twp. As the hands of the clock pointed to the hour 12 m., to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march as played by Miss Velina Tobias, of Mackeyville, the bridal party preceded by Rev. T. A. Long, of Philadelphia, made their appearance, and under a canopy of orange blossoms and ferns a beautiful marriage ceremony was performed. The brides and bridesmaids wore gowns of white or gandy and carried brides roses. Miss Daley was attended by her sister, Miss Maude as bridesmaid, and Toner Robb, of Romola, as groomsman. Miss Oyler was attended by her sister, Miss Laura, and Fred Harken, of Johnsonburg. After the ceremony and congratulations, the guests were all seated and elaborate refreshments were served under a large canopy tent on the lawn, which comprised an abundance of the most savory edibles the season can afford and prepared in that sumptuous manner for which the bride's mother is noted all over the valley. The presents received by the young couples who have just launched their bark on the sea of matrimony were numerous, handsome, useful and ornamental; there was a profusion of silverware, linen, etc., all of which were highly appreciated by the young couples. The guests numbered about two hundred. Mr. Yearick and his bride were both successful school teachers. The double wedding was the most brilliant and important social event that has occurred in that section for some time. Messrs. Yearick and Daley and their brides left for a wedding trip that will include visits to Philadelphia, Atlantic City and Washington.

GRENINGER-PIPER.
 At the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Waltz at Clintondale, June 12, Thomas I. Greninger of Mill Hill, F. R. D., and Mary E. Piper of Clintondale, were united in marriage by Rev. H. I. Crow.

RHONE-BOSEY-SHELL.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Frederick Boseyshell, of Los Angeles, Cal., announce the marriage of their daughter Mary Cecelia to Dr. Chas. Edward Rhone, formerly of Bellefonte, on Wednesday, June 1st. Dr. and Mrs. Rhone expect to be at home at Douglas, Arizona, after July 1st.

MCKEE-STITT.
 George C. McKee announces the marriage of his sister, Mary G., to Harry Edwin Stitt, which was celebrated on Tuesday, June 7th. The bride is a daughter of the late Prof. James Y. McKee, vice president of the Pennsylvania State College. Mr. Stitt is of the class of 1903 of that institution.

HAZZARD-HARSHBERGER.
 A quiet but very pretty wedding was celebrated Friday at the home of the bride in Moshannon. The contracting parties were Jacob W. Hazzard and Maude E. Harshberger, both of Moshannon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. J. Schachart, pastor of the Methodist church at Snow Shoe.

LUCAS-ECKENROTH.
 At the residence of Thos Eckenroth, near Unionville, June 8, 1904, at 11:30 a. m., S. Lundy Lucas and Miss Caroline M. Eckenroth, both of Fleming, were united in marriage by Rev. W. C. Piper in the presence of a nice company of guests. After a sumptuous dinner the bride and groom started on a wedding tour, will include the St. Louis Exposition.

STINE-BECK.
 At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaiiah Beck, in Half Moon Valley, Centre county, on Tuesday evening 7th at 7 o'clock, their daughter Miss Eva Beck, was united in marriage to Clayton Stine, of Pittsburg. The groom is a trusted employee of the Pennsylvania railroad, and a young man of exemplary habits. Mr. and Mrs. Stine departed for Pittsburg where they will go to housekeeping in a home already prepared.

HOSTERMAN-NOLL.
 Sumner V. Hosterman, of the Lancaster bar, son of Dr. G. W. Hosterman Centre Hall, was married in the chapel of the Franklin and Marshall College,

to Miss Lucy Frances Null, daughter of Rev. Dr. George F. Null, of the college faculty, Dr. Null officiating. E. Lewis Higbee, Emmittsburg, Md., the bride's uncle, gave her away. Mrs. J. Howard Bursk, her sister, was matron of honor. The bridesmaids were Misses Margaret Jones, Lebanon; Hellen S. Hosterman, Centre Hall; Fanny Wenger, Paradise; Mary Belle Stahr, Lancaster.

SIGNS POINT TO PARKER.

There remain to be elected in State and Territorial conventions yet to be held only 254 delegates to the national Democratic convention. The great mass of the delegates, 746 in all, have been elected. Of the delegates already chosen, Parker holds, either by specific pledge or unmistakable expressions of sentiment, considerably more than a majority, and in the most discerning political circles he is now regarded as a sure winner of the nomination. That he may be beaten is, of course, entirely possible.

So certain are the signs that point to the jurist's nomination that hardly more than two ballots are expected to be taken before his selection shall have been definitely determined. In the interview in the North American of last Monday morning, William Randolph Hearst, who will have a considerable following in the convention, will not withdraw from the contest until after his name shall have been voted upon by the delegates; but he is commonly regarded as being out of the race.

The delegates already chosen may, according to declared preferences and fixed instructions, be apportioned as follows: Parker 334, Hearst 149, Olney 32, Wall 26, Gorman 18, Gray 6, Uninstructed 176.

Stricken With Apoplexy.

J. H. Reifsnnyder, a well known justice of the peace and business man of Millheim, went to Lock Haven from Bellefonte Monday night and took a room at the new Columbus hotel. Before retiring he complained of feeling ill but did not think it serious enough to summon a physician. Tuesday morning he was unable to leave his room and Dr. R. Armstrong was called who found the man on the verge of apoplexy and he directed that he be sent to the hospital, which was done. "Squire Reifsnnyder went there to transact some legal business for Miss Emma Bair, of Rebersburg, who accompanied him and took a room at the same hotel, but who did not learn of his illness until the doctor had directed that he be sent to the hospital.

About two hours previous to his arrival in Lock Haven, Mr. Reifsnnyder was in the Centre Democrat office apparently well as usual. Wednesday evening Dr. Armstrong, by phone, informed us that he had just seen Mr. Reifsnnyder; the ailment was not apoplexy, but more likely due to a blood clot lodging in the brain. He was rational by spells and then his mind wanders; his condition was improving and not hopeless.

WOMELSDORF, nominated on Tuesday, by assembly, by orders of the machine, is needed by it, because when he was a member at Harrisburg he voted for all the corrupt machine measures brought before the House—he was an out-and-out helper in the bad legislation of that year.

AFTER Gov. Hastings vetoed the corrupt and extravagant acts of the machine legislature, Womelsdorf turned against Hastings and went with the corrupt gang. Womelsdorf's votes at Harrisburg will not commend him to honest taxpayers of any party.

THE republican county convention, as foretold by the Democrat, was a Penrose affair, and did things according to orders from that graduate in Quavism.

KIMFORT can easily Lamb the other fellow.

A Clever Newspaper Plan.

The attention of the people all over the United States just now is centred on St. Louis and its universal Exposition. Realizing that hundreds of thousands of dwellers in the East will not get one-third of the way across the continent to see the big show, the New York World has devised a plan to bring the Fair home to its readers. This is to be effected by a special series of color pictures, reproductions of paintings made for this purpose by one of the principal members of its art staff. In another column is the World's advertisement of this plan, in which details are given. The pictures are free to all purchasers of the Sunday World.

ADJOINING COUNTIES.

The annual commencement exercises of Juniata college, at Huntingdon, Pa., takes place June 19th to the 23.

Next Sunday the new M. E. church at Flemington will be dedicated with pleasing services, which will be held morning, afternoon and evening. Preliminary services will be held in the church every evening this week.

For having in his possession 13 under sized trout, Barney McCaulley, of West Branch, was fined \$130, and being unable to pay the fine was sentenced to serve out the fine in the county jail at the rate of \$1 per day.

At a meeting of the directors of the Farmers' and Merchants' National bank, Tyrone, A. M. Brown, former vice president was unanimously elected president of that institution, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of E. J. Praner. Jacob Stamm, a well known resident of Sugar valley, died Sunday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Frankenberg, in Sugar valley, from the infirmities of old age. His age was 78 years. He is survived by one son and three daughters.

G. B. M. Welliver, who has been conducting the Irvin House at Lock Haven for the past two or three years, sold out to Harry Landis, who is well known to the traveling public, as a popular clerk at the Bolton House at Harrisburg. Mr. Landis took charge Monday.

John Todd, of Philipsburg, was so unfortunate as to be thrown from his buggy, cutting a couple holes in his head and hurting his shoulder. He was drawn 65 feet before the horse could be stopped, which took fright. He was unconscious for a while. He is able to be about.

There was quite a large gathering at Lewisburg for the past week as the W. M. S. of Evangelical church held their convention and was represented by seventy delegates, also the Lutheran's W. M. S. held their convention at the same place, was represented by eighty delegates.

H. W. Myers, one of Warriorsmark township's most substantial citizens, died at his home last Thursday morning, Monday Mr. Myers was in the act of bridling a horse when the animal threw up his head and with it one of his front legs. The leg by accident struck Mr. Myers in the abdomen causing a rupture which resulted in his death as stated. He was aged about 70 years.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of HARRIS CALHOUN, dec'd, late of Unionville borough, Pa. Letters of administration having been duly granted on the above estate 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.

J. B. ALEXANDER, Adm'r.
 Pittington Pa.

Weather Report.

DATE	TEMPERATURE	
	Maximum	Minimum
June 9, cloudy.....	70	57
10, cloudy.....	69	50
11, clear.....	83	43
12, clear.....	85	49
13, clear.....	74	47
14, pt cloudy.....	67	57
15, pt cloudy.....	75	59

Rain: On 10, more .03 inch: on 14, night .11 inch.

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