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EDITORIAL.

HUGHES' VICTORY.

The first thing that the public was told by the Republican press of the country, regarding the election of Hughes as governor of New York, was that it was a great moral victory. The next fact thrown out was that in trying to stay this great moral victory Hearst had spent nearly \$300,000. But now a third fact makes its appearance. We are now informed as to just how much the great moral victory cost. According to the report of the Republican state committee just filed, J. Pierpont Morgan, trust promoter, contributed \$20,000 to the cause of morality.

Levi P. Morton, trust beneficiary, contributed \$20,000.

Timothy L. Woodruff, special representative of the trusts, sent in \$10,000.

Andrew Carnegie and John D. Rockefeller, trust magnates, both spent \$5,000 for Hughes and morality.

Chauncey M. Dephew still loved morality \$2,500 worth.

Frank W. Higgins, trust beneficiary, sent \$2,500 to the committee.

The entire Republican fund in New York state was near two millions, of which Hughes gave about six hundred.

The trusts paid his campaign expenses, while Hearst paid his own.

Through these and many similar contributions morality triumphed, Hughes will enter his office sadly hampered. In asking for and receiving trust contributions the Republican party in a large measure mortgaged itself to the "interests" and tied the hands of its gubernatorial candidate, who has been profuse in his promises of a square deal.

It is not at all likely that there will be any trust investigations in New York during Mr. Hughes' administration. What a grand moral victory it was, to be sure!

Since the above expenses were filed republican papers have stopped all allusions to Hearst's campaign boodles.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S message to congress contains much that is commendable, as it is in the line of democratic doctrine.

CANDIDATES have filed their list of election expenses and are most interesting for what they conceal.

CONGRESS is now in session, and some stormy weather is predicted.

ADJOINING COUNTIES.

Thursday Dan'l Strawcutter, of Eagleville station, butchered two hogs that tipped the scales at 900 pounds.

Robert T. Garman, son of Daniel Garman, of Bellefonte, has moved his jewelry store into his new quarters at Tyrone. After he gets things in good shape he will have one of the finest stores in that town.

Rev. Searle, the Evangelical minister at Loganton, has three children sick with typhoid fever. Frank, the eldest son, and Isora are still in a critical condition; Sarah is able to get about the house, while Clayton has entirely recovered, having been the first to be stricken. Twenty-six cases of typhoid fever have been reported throughout Sugar valley this fall.

The legal victim of the hunters' aim will be bear, which will stay in season until the first of March. An estimate made by a number of well-known sportsmen places the number of deer killed at seventy-five, in Lycoming county, bears at fifteen and wild turkeys at between forty or fifty. Thanksgiving turkeys were sold in Pittsburgh at ten cents per pound—a drop from 25 cents between morn and eve.

At the argument of a case in court at Hollidaysburg on Monday, Judge Bell became quite ill. His head fell over on his breast, paleness came over his face and unconsciousness followed. Lawyers in alarm hastened to the aid of the honored occupant of the bench. The Judge revived momentarily, but again became unconscious, and was carried from his seat on the bench to a counsel table and was attended by Dr. Brothelin.

A serious accident occurred on Thanksgiving day along Plunketts run, near Mill Hall, by which Doran Driver, a son of Warren Driver, will probably lose the sight of one eye. Young Driver and his two brothers were out hunting in that vicinity and came upon a rabbit which they gave a chase. One brother, Doran, was secreted behind a clump of bushes watching for a shot at the rabbit, when another brother, not knowing of his brother's whereabouts, shot in that direction, the load striking the boy in the face and shoulder, three of the shot entering the eye ball.

Gillette Found Guilty.

The jury in the trial of Chester E. Gillette for the murder of his sweetheart, Grace Brown, at Big Moose Lake in July 11 turned a verdict on Tuesday of guilty in the first degree after being out five hours.

CONCLUSION OF NOVEMBER COURT

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porated, vs. Lewis B. Gernon, Executor of the last will and testament of H. K. Grant, late of Phillipsburg Borough, deceased, who was survived by J. G. Platt and G. C. Showalter, co-maker. Action in assumpsit, defendant confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiffs in open court for \$2834.77.

Cyrus Brungart and William B. Mingle, Executors of Rebecca Sparr, deceased, and use of John Riter as an individual, vs. John Riter, Executor of Margaret A. Riter, deceased. Action Scire Facias Sur Judgment, verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$637.45, \$569.45 being to use of the Executors of Rebecca Sparr, deceased.

Joseph L. Montgomery and John M. Bullock, Executors of Moses Montgomery, late of Bellefonte Borough, deceased, vs. Frank M. Curtin, Administrator of Josephine Curtin, deceased, and her heirs. Scire Facias Sur judgment, verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$1457.36.

Sarah A. Nyman vs. Robert Cooke, Jr., being a feigned issue. Verdict on Monday evening in favor of the plaintiff, subject to the question of law reserved by the Court.

Daniel T. Moyer vs. Rush Township. This is a trespass and grows out of an accident occurring to the plaintiff on one of the roads of Rush Township on the 13th of January, 1906. The plaintiff is a liveryman at Osceola and was employed to take a wedding party to Osceola. The road was icy and dangerous, being very narrow and no guard rails. When crossing this narrow road the cab, which plaintiff was driving, slipped off the road down over a bank, damaging it, and the plaintiff was hurt. Verdict on Wednesday morning in favor of the plaintiff for \$60, subject to the question of law reserved.

Lauderbach-Barber Company, incorporated, vs. J. G. Platt and G. C. Showalter, who survive H. K. Grant, deceased, being an assumpsit and service by the sheriffs of the summons being served on G. C. Showalter only, and not served upon J. C. Platt. This is an action on a note, and verdict was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for \$2734.77.

A decree was made on Wednesday morning dividing Curtin township into two election precincts, namely, the northern and southern precincts. The election board which was the Curtin Township board was appointed as the election board for the southern precinct and Asa Nelson judge, and J. A. Mann and Frank Daley inspectors for the northern precinct and Edward Robb, Registration Assessor for the southern precinct, and George Bixel Registration Assessor for the northern precinct.

Court adjourned on Wednesday morning.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Elmer Buttorf - Lewistown

Maud D. Woodding - "

Walter Fulton - Bellefonte

Catherine C. Daley - "

John Armo - Moshannon

Dora Jordan - "

David H. Thompson - Gerty Twp

Bessie M. Leathers - Howard

Oral Paul Biddle - Phillipsburg

Sarah H. Phillips - "

George J. Marks - Renova

Mary H. Backer - Lewistown

Wilber W. Meyer's - Centre Hall

Harriet J. Bowes - Pine Glenn

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Dora E. Fisher to Hannah Iddings, Mar. 12, 1906; lot in Unionville; \$750.

J. M. Rearick to Henry F. Bitner, Mar. 31, 1906; 148 a., 108 p. in Potter twp; \$4,650.

Bertha Grannis to Dora Solomon, Mar. 21, 1906; lot in Rush twp; \$20.

Andrew Sommerville to O. L. Schooner, Mar. 10, 1906; premises in Rush twp; \$1,300.

William Frear et ux to trustees of Gamma Phi chapter of the Gamma Delta fraternity, Nov. 19, 1906; lot in State College; \$350.

Samuel Gray's heirs to Gray's Cemetery Assn., May 22, 1906; 171 a. 45 p. in Patton twp; \$160.77.

Peter Robb Jr., to Harry Young, July 19, 1906; 2 tracts in all—14 a., 30 p. in Curtin twp; \$300.

Eleanor H. De Giranta to Wm. M. Melick, Sept. 26, 1906; premises in Phillipsburg; \$2,075.

Frank McCoy et ux to Jacob E. Armbruster—1906; 2 tracts of land, containing 89 a., 20 p. in Walker twp; \$1,200.

James Eckenroth to Dorsey Eckenroth, Mar. 26, 1906; lot in Spring twp; \$50.

Frank F. Irwin to Anna Margaret Waple, April 30, 1906; lot in Phillipsburg; \$50.

J. Edward Dunham et ux to J. Howard Lingle, Nov. 23, 1906; lot in Bellefonte; \$75.

Harry J. Patterson et ux to trustees of the Gamma Phi chapter of the Gamma Delta fraternity, Nov. 17, 1906, lot in State College; \$350.

Lecture Course.

There will be a service at St. John's Episcopal Church on the Wednesday evenings of Advent-tide at 7.30 and the Rector, Rev. Edwin G. Richardson, will deliver a course of lectures on "The Literary History of the Bible" as follows:

Dec. 5—"The English Printed Bible and the English Manuscript Bible."

Dec. 12—"The Story of the Vulgate and the Septuagint."

Dec. 19—"The Hebrew Bible, the Talmud and the Mishna."

Dec. 26—"Hebrew and Greek Manuscripts of Old and New Testaments, and the two Apocryphas."

The time occupied will be less than an hour each evening and a cordial invitation is extended to all interested.

—Hon. W. C. Lingle, who has for the past ten years been superintendent of the Beech Creek Coal and Coke company at Patton, has tendered his resignation which took effect Tuesday. Mr. Lingle will remove to his new home in Bellefonte where he expects to engage in the lime stone business. His son, Harvey C. Lingle, who has been assistant to his father during most of his connection with the Patton firm, will succeed the elder Mr. Lingle and Frank Campbell, of Patton, will be his assistant.

OVER THE COUNTY.

Joe Harpster is moving his family from West Virginia to the house in Tadpole, Ferguson twp., vacated by the Bar-to family.

Mrs. E. K. Smith, of Oak Hall, has closed her house and will spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tate, at Dale's Summit.

J. N. Ritner, at private sale bought the Hannah Royer farm in Ferguson Township for \$2,000; and will get possession April 1st, 1907.

Miss Nettie Davis, of Phillipsburg, is a huntress of some ability. A few days ago she shot a rabbit while it was on a run and instantly killed the animal.

Joseph Meyer last week moved from the Portney farm, east of Boalsburg, to Millheim where he will engage in the butchering business with his brother.

Calvin Rishel, who lives two miles west of Madisonburg, has concluded to quit farming and will make sale of his farm stock and implements in the spring.

Mrs. Abbie Miller, an aged lady, formerly a resident of Aaronburg, but now making her home with her daughter, Mrs. David Shrack, in Sugar Valley, is seriously ill, with no hopes of recovery.

A number of barrels, boxes and sacks were shipped to the Bellefonte hospital by the ladies connected with the Centre Hall hospital auxiliary society. The articles were solicited from both members of the society and others.

From the farm to the hotel—that is the move to be made by Lewis E. Stover, now tenant on the William Kreamer farm south of Millheim. He has leased the Coburn hotel, and will occupy it in the spring.

Auman's roller flour mill, at Millheim, is being equipped with a new set of water wheels. These wheels are a new style overshoot and are guaranteed to run all the machinery in the mill with less water than the old turbines required.

Andy J. Lytle, of near State College, accompanied the foot ball team to Pittsburg, where on Thanksgiving he witnessed the great foot ball game. This is probably the reason why State went out, because he was there to see fair play.

Mrs. Rebecca Kreamer of Altoona, a lady of 82 years of age, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. G. Irvin, at Oak Hall, who is slowly improving after a serious illness. Mrs. William Mitchell of Harmony, Pa., a daughter of Mrs. Irvin, has been there for several weeks.

Benjamin Allison, a Lock Haven Normal student from Nittany, Centre county, met with a painful accident in a practice game of basket ball Thanksgiving afternoon, in the gymnasium when two of the players came together, resulting in the fracture of several bones in the right hand of young Allison.

A large barn belonging to Hon. Joseph Alexander, of Madera, was burnt recently, entailing a loss of \$2000, as well as a loss of several hundred dollars to liveryman G. W. Warrick. It will be remembered that Mr. Alexander was H. C. Quigley's opponent for the nomination for Senator in this district.

The State College scrub team journeyed to Bellwood on Thursday and there met the farmers, of that place, on the gridiron. Both teams were confident of victory and both had reasons for their hopes as the teams were evenly matched. But both were disappointed, for when the last half was finished the score stood 0-0.

The remains of Mrs. Speer, a sister of the late S. C. Stewart, were brought from her late home in Texas to Spruce Creek on Wednesday evening of last week and taken to the Misses Stewart at Coleraine Forge, from whence the funeral took place. Interment in the Presbyterian cemetery at Graysville.

Jerry Donovan a month ago was the possessor of as nice a flock of fat turkeys as was to be found in Spring township. Now practically the entire flock has disappeared and he has not yet been able to discover whether they turned into wild turkeys, died or were deliberately stolen by some common turkey thief. We bet that Jerry can flog the fellow who took them.

James Maffet, a seventy-year old resident of Hawk Run, now lies in the Cottage hospital, Phillipsburg, suffering from a gun shot wound in the side which, however, is not considered a dangerous one. Mr. Maffet was on the point of being arrested on a very grave charge when he attempted to commit suicide by shooting himself with a shot gun. The gun was loaded with bird shot and they merely made a flesh wound.

A few weeks ago a certain person, who is a naturalist almost equal to Darwin, informed us that the end of a spotted dog's tail was white, and the end of every spotted cat's tail was black. All our observation since we received the information has verified the statement. We have been wondering ever since how this person found it out.

The above is from the Millheim journal and can be accepted, for Editor Musser knows a few things about appendages.

It Costs Only One Cent.

To send a card asking for our catalog, setting forth the advantages enjoyed by the students who attend the State Normal at Indiana, and it may be the turning point in the life of your son or daughter. An education obtained in a good normal school fits for life and business, as do other schools, but its diploma has a peculiar legal value that should not be overlooked: it makes its possessor a legally qualified teacher in the State for life.

None of us can look very far into the future. Your daughter may not need to teach now, and may lay her normal diploma away, never intending to use it. But some disaster later in life may make it necessary for her to earn her living, and that diploma would prove her most valuable possession. Is it not best to be educated in a school whose diploma has such a value?

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Our Winter Term will open January 1. If you desire full information about this school, address the Principal, James E. Ament, LL. D., Indiana, Pa. 43

—John D. Sourbeck, the Bellefonte candy manufacturer, certainly has no kick coming, because within the last ten days he has been a grandfather twice, the first came to the home of John Sourbeck, Jr., in Bellefonte, and on Friday a bouncing boy made its appearance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bellinger, of New York City. Mrs. Bellinger was formerly Miss Mame Sourbeck, of this place.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of MARY A. CALDERWOOD, late of Ferguson township, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay, to

W. HARRISON WALKER, Admr., Bellefonte, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of JOHN SOLT, late of Fleming, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay, to

J. M. KRUEGER, M. A. BICKLE, Adm., Zion, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of DAVID L. MILLER, deceased, late of Ferguson twp.

Letters testamentary upon the said estate having been granted by the Register of Wills to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims, to present them for settlement, to

J. B. HERBERLING, Executor, H. C. Quigley, Atty., Pine Grove Mills

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

Estate of W. GALER MORRISON, late of Boggs twp., deceased.

Letters testamentary upon said estate having been granted by the Register of Wills to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement, to

MABEL M. MORRISON, Executrix, Roland, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of JOHN WILSON, late of Halfmoon Township, deceased.

Letters testamentary upon said estate having been granted by the Register of Wills to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them for settlement, to

NEWTON I. WILSON, Executor, Warriorsmark, Pa.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BELLEFONTE TRUST CO.

at the close of business, November 23rd, 1906.

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand \$17,849.48

Ch'ks and other cash items 11,338.11

Due from banks and bankers 56,765.25

Commercial and other papers 406,961.45

Call loans upon collateral 10,000.00

Time loans upon collateral 121,000.00

Loans upon bonds and mortgages 2,500.00

Investment securities owned, viz:

Stocks, bonds, etc. \$22,550.00

Mortgages 1,300.00 23,750.00

Real estate, furniture and fixtures 2,215.70

Overdrafts 4,850.13

\$658,955.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$125,000.00

Surplus fund 10,300.00

Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 14,523.94

Deposits, subject to check \$276,784.52

Deposits, Special 227,968.22 504,592.74

Due to banks and bankers 4,518.44

\$658,955.12

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss. COUNTY OF CENTRE.

I, JOHN P. HARRIS, treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December, 1906.

HARRY KELLER, Not. Pub.

Correct—Attest: JOHN P. HARRIS, Treas. C. T. GERBERICH, CLAUDE COOK, Directors. A. C. MINGOLE.

Miss Merriman and Miss, Mary Blanchard, of Bellefonte, have shipped from the basket shop to Philadelphia their great and beautiful collection of reed baskets, which they display at the Acorn Club during this week. From Philadelphia they will be taken to Bryn Mawr and from Bryn Mawr to Harrisburg. It is to be hoped the people of Bellefonte will have an opportunity of seeing this work before a great while.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of R. A. DOUTY, late of Miles township, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay, to

H. E. DOUTY, Smulton, Pa. IDA A. DOUTY, Madisonburg, Pa. J. C. MEYER, Admr., Bellefonte, Pa. 43

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor and the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania on Thursday the 30th day of December, A. D. 1906, by Geo. W. Homan, Newton E. Hess, Geo. F. Miller, John Homan, John Grimes, James Glenn, and C. E. Cori, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled: "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations" approved April 29th A. D. 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Farmers Rural Water Co., of Ferguson twp.," in Centre county, Pennsylvania, the character and objects whereof is to supply pure water to the public in the eastern precinct of Ferguson township being a district not over two miles wide and about five miles in length, the eastern boundary being the western line of Harris township and for the purpose to have, possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits, and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

The application is now on file in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

FORTNEY & FORTNEY, Solicitors.

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THE Sale of Overcoats AT REDUCED PRICES STILL CONTINUES ON OUR TABLES. Any Overcoat on our tables formerly selling from \$7.50 to \$20.00 you can now pick and there's several dollars knocked off the price. Its a clear, cool saving to you. Cold weather was slow in coming. Overcoat business suffered from this. We made up our minds to dispose of our Overcoats—and quickly—so down with the prices. Come in, look them over—we've any sort of a coat you may want. You'll be more than pleased with the big saving we've in store for every man in need of an overcoat. Not merely newspaper talk reductions, but clean dollar savings. Last Saturday was our biggest Overcoat day, and we couldn't turn out so many Overcoats if the savings weren't large. Hundreds of coats yet for your picking at reduced prices. Sim, the Clothier, Correct Attire for Men and Young Men.