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EDITORIAL.

W. GROH RUNKLE has been nominated for re-election as district attorney, a position which he so efficiently filled quired qualifications and is attentive to the duties of the office. As to his character there is no question. Obliging to all at all times, and sociable to a pleasing was introduced it was promptly addegree, are natural with "Billy." He opted, the only negative vote being has made many friends by his cast by Henry F. Walton, Speaker of has made many friends by his the House. Consternation followed manner of conducting business during immediately. Walton informed his his present term. He is competent in machine associates of the import of another respect—he understands and the vote and they at once began can talk German, which is a matter that "running to cover." The loiterers is of utmost importance to the German speaking population of our county which tative Shern of Philadelphia, Pencomprises about one-half of the citizens rose's personal representative in the of this county-his competitor, Ed. body, moved for a reconsideration of Chambers, can wear a uniform but he can't speak a word of German.

WEDDINGS.

Miss Mary M. C. Tonery, daughter of Record, 1995, page 203.

Mrs. Mary Tonery, of Lock Haven, and Paul F. Neff, of Snow Shoe, were martion the question of the adoption of ried at 8.30 Wednesday evening of last the resolution was again put and it week in the rectory of the Church of the was overwhelmingly defeated, John Immaculate Conception at Lock Haven, O. Sheatz voting with the other by Rev. Father J. N. Cordori. The machine representatives against the ceremony was performed in the midst of a few relatives and friends, after which there was a reception at the home of the bride on East Main street. The happy ward the machine members indulged couple left Thursday morning for a wedding trip and will temporarily reside at Snow Shoe, where the groom is employ ed at present, but expects to move to Lock Haven later. The bride is a pretty and charming young lady. She was for several years collector of the Commercial Telephone company in Lock Haven, but lately held the position of book-keeper for the Union Pacific Tea company. The groom was formerly employed as a brakeman on the Bald Eagle Valley railroad, but is at present located in Snow Shoe.

MILLER-EMENHIZER. Wednesday noon of last week at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Emenhizer, near Romola, in Centre county, their daughter, Miss Sarah, became the bride of Ammon A. Miller, of Lock Haven. Rev. H. J Dudley, pastor of the Disciple church, at Blanchard, was the officiating clergy-man, and none but the members of the contracting parties' families were pre

NEFF-TONERY. Paul N. Neff, of Snow Shoe, formerly of Tyrone, and Mary C. Tonery, of Lock Haven, were united in marriage Wednesday evening, in Lock Haven, at the rectory of the church of the Immaculate Conception, by Rev. J. N. Codori. The ceremony was witnessed by a few relatives and friends. After the ceremony a wedding reception was held at the home of the bride's mother.

HOUSER-VONADA. The other afternoon at 4 o'clock, Dan- dependants. iel W. Houser, of Pleasant Gap, and Miss Bessie V. Vonada, of Farmers Mills, were married at the Reformed parson-age in Centre Hall, by Rev. Daniel Gress.

EVERET-BLACK married Thursday evening in Philadel-phia, to Alfred Black. The wedding took place at the home which the groom had provided for the bride.

STATE COLLEGE.

J. E. Isenburg, of Pittsburg, is visiting at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Herman; Mrs. Isenberg has spent part of the summer at

Elliot Sauers and wife visited last week with relatives in Altoona. Misses Luetta Edmiston and Carrie Bowes visited over Sunday with John Hamer and wife, at Huntingdon Fur-

pleasant vacation spent with relatives 1905, page 769. in Lewistown and Altoona.

A party consisting of Hamil Holmes, and wife, Jas. H. Holmes, Jr., and wife and S. E. Kimport and wife spent last Tuesday at Penn Cave.

Mrs. D. M. Krebs, of Pine Grove Mills, was the guest of Mrs. John Rupp, on Tuesday

Tuesday.

Mrs F. A. Crosthwaite and daughter,
Isabel, visited over Sunday with relatives

Mrs. J. C. Meyer and daughter, Edna, of Bellefonte, spent Sunday with J. C. Holmes and wife.

Mrs. N. T. Krebs, of Pine Grove Mills, spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Graham.

Mr. Kimport, the leading butcher, has got himself a "spotted" dog.

ROOSEVELT.

Voted to Rebuke the President During Session of 1905.

On Creasy's Resolution Endorsing Roosevelt's Railroad Rate Bill, the Republican Machine Candidate Voted with the Gangsters.

\$1.80 He Supported Some Atrocious Measures and Dodged Others.

(Special Correspondence.)

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 18, '07. On Monday evening January 30, 1905, Representative Farmer Creasy of Columbia county, introduced a resplution in the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Pennsylvania, "instructing our Senators and requesting our Representatives in Congress to vote for such measures as will give the Interstate Commerce Commission larger powers, to the end that shippers may have prompt and adequate relief and that rebates may be prohibited." This was inter-preted as it was intended to be, as an endorsement of President Roosevelt's policy on the subject of regu-

lating rates on railroads. The President was engaged at the time in a Titanic struggle with what he characterized as the "railroad lawyers" of the Senate. Aldrich of Rhode Island and Foraker of Ohio led the opposition and all the Demo-crats and a few Republicans in the body were supporting the pending measure. Mr. Roosevelt had made an appeal for the moral support of the people and on the night the resofor one term, proving that he has the re- lution was introduced he was in Philadelphia addressing a mammoth public meeting in the Academy of

Music in the interest of his bill. When the resolution of Mr. Creasy in the lobby were summoned to their seats and within an hour Representhe vote by which the resolution was adopted. After a protest by Mr. Creasy in which he depicted the chagrin which Roosevelt would feel over such a rebuke, the motion was put and carried, John O. Sheatz voting with the majority.-Legislative

endorsement of Roosevelt's railroad in a carnival of rejoicing. The result was telegraphed to Penrose, the machine Senators rushed over to express their congratulations to Speaker Walton and confusion reigned. The President was snubbed "in the House of his friends," politically speaking, but Sheatz fastened himself in the affections of Penrose and

Leaning Upon a Broken Reed.

If the friends of Mr. Sheatz depend upon his legislative record during the session of 1905 to establish for him a reform reputation they are likely to have a rude awakening when the official journal of that session is examined. It was a notoriously vicious session but the machine majority was so great and the bosses so confident that all the servile members were not required to vote for all the bad measures and even Sam Rip occasionally dodged or voted directly against the machine. But like Sheatz he was always with them when his vote was needed, so that an opposition vote now and then didn't impair his standing in the Speaker's room or in the Boas Man-

For example he voted for the bill increasing the number of Bank Examiners.-Legislative Record, 1905. page 442. This measure was wanted by the machine because it provided a few more places for party

He voted for the bill to authorize Districts Attorney in counties of population containing over half a million and less than a million population.-Legislative Record, 1905, page 444. This measure was a sop Miss Hannah Mary Everet, daughter to the machine while in Pittsburg of Mr. and Mrs. Everet, of Coburn, was and was wanted by the machine for

the same reason as the other. He voted for the bill to authorize corporations authorized to supply water or manufacture light, "to subscribe for, take, purchase, hold and dispose of the bonds or stock in any company of the same character." Legislative Record, 1905, page 769. This measure was wanted by the machine for various purposes. the first place it removed some of the legal obstacles and facilitated the scheme to steal the Philadelphia gas works by the United Gas Improvement company. It also helped amer and wife, at Huntingdon Fur-ace.
Anna Daugherty has returned after a out the State.—Legislative Record,

> He voted for the bill increasing the salaries of the Attorney General and his deputy and increasing the number of officials in that department, obviously for the purpose of making places for machine politicians.—Legislative Record, 1905

page 3717. He voted for the Quay monument bill—Legislative Record, 1905, page

He voted for the bill creating the new office of Statute clerk in the office of Secretary of the Common-wealth.—Legislaitve Record, 1905,

page 2347.

He voted for the bill creating the Bureau of Vital Statistics.—Legisla-

tive Record, 1905, page 2687. This measure vastly augmented the inquisatorial powers of the Commissioner of Health and created not less than 4,500 new cases, the main business of whom was to serve as canvassers for the Republican machine. The law has not been used, as yet, to the full measure of its'opportunities, because the upheaval expressed in the election of Mr. Berry admonished the machine that it wouldn't be safe. But it is on the Statute stored to complete power again it will be worked to the limit.

The Crowning Atrocity of Legislation of 1905 is entitled to the distinction of being designated as "the crowning atrocity" of modern legislative jugglery. It conveyed the technical Courage in an Evil Direction. legal authority under which Pennypacker's Board of Public Grounds and Buildings looted the treasury in completing and furnishing the capitol. It was entitled "An act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to make contracts for stationary, supplies, fuel, furniture furnishings, distribution of documents, repairs, alterations and improvements."

Previous legislation on this subject contained no authority to make "repairs, alterations and improvements," and that change constitutes the "joker" under which the grafting was perpetrated. In his testimony before the investigating committee Pennypacker sheltered himself under it and exultantly referred to the sefrauds were legalized, he said, by islative Record, 1905, page 2640.

quire, hold dispose of and guarantee were minimized. the stock and securities of water companies .- Legislative Record, 19- ord of John O Sheatz, for the sess-05, page 4526. This was one of ion of 1905. A more careful search the notorious water snakes of that of the House Journal or Legislative

ed with the machine in the negative. ine. -Legislative Record, 1905, page 3032. The bill was subsequently passed and was repealed during the

extra session of 1906. Mr Sheatz voted for the bill "fixing the compensation, duties and mileage of employes of the General Assembly.-Legislative Record, 1905 page 3026. The custom of the machine had been to put a lot of party dependents on the pay-roll of the two Legislative bodies without authority of law and pay them out of limited. This was called "padding the pay-roll," and some years ago legislation was introduced and as

The bill creating the "Water Supwater snakes. Mr. Sheatz voted for -Legislative Record, 1905, page

votes. Indeed he might well be characterized as "the artful dodger," and whenever the machine didn't actually need his vote for a measure but was not quite certain enough of record among the "absent or not vot-

He dodged the vote on the bill creating the Department of Public Health and Charities in Philadelphia. -Legislative Record, 1905, page The Department of Charities and Corrections in that city had been doing as well as he thought he ought to in looting the city because the Director of the Department wouldn't "wink the other eye," at some of his plans and it was detailed. been rendering poor service to the mined to rip the recalcitrant out of office. Accordingly a bill was intro-duced abolishing that Department and creating the other, the head of which was to be elected by counsels. All the reform forces in the House were outraged by the atrocity but Sheatz dodged the vote, thus silent-

ly consenting to the inquity. worst effect of that measure was to create a few needless offices but the laboring men of the State will hardly forgive him for failure to vote for Mr. Schofield's resolution to discharge the Committee on Judiciary General from the further consideration of the Employers' Liability bill. That measure of vital interest to every working man had been held in the committee so long that the purpose to stifle it had become obvious. Representative Schofield of Clearfield county moved to discharge Mr. Schofield's resolution to dis-

the committee in order that the members of the House would be compelied to go on record for or against it. Manifestly Sheatz lacked the courage of his convictions for instead of vot-

ing yes or no, he dodged. Mr. Sheatz also dodged the vote on the bill giving the Paper trust the special privilege of holding real estate in this commonwealth. It was pointed out that the corporation was of the New Jersey variety and probably had not the smallest fraction books and when the machine is re- of its capital stock paid in. It was also shown that Pennsylvania corporations didn't enjoy the favors which this New Jersey mushroom asked. But Sheatz hadn't the courage to House bill No. 486 of the session vote one way or the other. He simp-

On some of the machine measures, however, he had courage in plenty. Take the bill creating a Probation officer. That was an infamous proposition. There were hundreds of ballot box stuffers under indictment and the scheme was to make legal provision to have them paroled in custody of machine friends in the event of their conviction. The measure was too rotten even for the bers of fish baskets all along. We sup-House of 1905. It failed of passage pose this is also the case along the for lack of a constitutional majority but John O. Sheatz was among the servile tools who supported it.-Legislative Record, 1905, page 3796.

He had courage, moreover, to disregard the overwhelming protest of the coal miners and mill workers and factory operatives against the bill curity in which he dwelt. All the creating the State Constabulary for he voted for that measure,-Legisthat legislation, and the expenditures of the Board of Public Grounds was the pet measure of the machine and Buildings were limited only by because it created over 200 snug the resources of the treasury. As berths for party workers. As in the long as there was a dollar left in case of the bureau of vital statistics, the strong box of the State, he said, however, it went into operation too the board could order furnishings, shortly before the political revolufurniture, repairs, alterations or im- tion which admonished the bosses to provements. Upon that iniquitous be good, so that the original purpose measure Mr. Sheatz voted aye.—Leg- was not fulfilled. Governor Pennypacker appointed a man of character Mr. Sheatz voted for the bill auth- to the head of the force, instead of orizing railroad companies to "ac- a politician so that the evil effects

Record would probably reveal many While the so-called Philadelphia more delinquencies. But what's the 'ripper" was pending in the Legisla- use. Like his predecessor in the ture the people of that city were in office of Chairman of the Committee a state of consternation. The then on Appropriations, he worked to win reform Mayor had offended the boss- the friendship of the machine manes by removing the Directors of De- agers and got the same reward, the partments and appointing as their Republican nomination for State successors men of character and ability. In resentment of this the mach- stituents required that he be allowed ine introduced into the Legislature to vote with the man who stood for a bill taking from the Mayor the pow- civic righteousness occasionally. The er of appointing heads of Depart-ments and vesting it in councils. The Philadelphia, are comparatively honhandful of opponents of the machine, est and independent and wouldn't led by John G. Harman, fought earn- stand for complete servility. But the eatly to defeat the measure. One of bosses control the nominating machthe expedients resorted to . was an ines and required his service when it amendment offered by Mr. Creasy was actually needed. His predecessor. providing for the election of Direct- Hon. J. Claude Bedford, was limitors by a popular vote of the people. ed to a single term because he That would have completely de wouldn't obey the commands or disfeated the purpose of the machine and prevented the passage of the a politician, however, and pretend-bill. Upon the question of the ad-option of the amendment Sheatz vot-ed the people and served the mach-G. D. H.

RECENT DEATHS.

MARY ANN BERRYHILL :- wife of the late Richard Berryhill and a life-long resident of Beech Creek, died at her ome in that borough at 9:30 o'clock Saturday evening. She was ill since the Sunday before and her death was due to ysentery. She had been in her usual health up to that time and her death came as a surprise to her friends. She thority of law and pay them out of was aged 77 years, 11 months and 5 the contingent fund which was undays. Her husband preceded her to the grave by two months and fifteen days. he was a consistent member of the got some prominent politicians, in- Methodist church. Deceased is survived cluding Justice Elkin, into grave by the following daughters and sons: El trouble. To legalize the iniquity the len, wife of James Lingle, of Blanchard Josephine, wife of George Searle, shown by the Record, on page indi-cated Mr. Sheatz voted for it. Beech Creek; Harry, of Tacoma, Wash-ington; George, of Blanchard. The llowing brothers and sisters survive : ply commission was another of the Mrs. Matilda Bechdel. Miss Sarah Snyder. both of Blanchard; Margaret, wife of Roland Smith, of Winlock, Wash; Henry A. Snyder, of Blanchard, and Sheatz As An Artful Dodger.

One of the distinguishing characteristics of Mr. Sheatz's legislative

Thompson Snyder, of State College. The late William Snyder, the well known surveyor, who lived in Blanchard, was also a brother. All of her near relatives, practice was his dodging important except those in the West were present before she died. The funeral took place Monday afternoon. Interment was made in the family plot in the Disciple cemetery.

MRS. MINNIE LEONA WILLIAMS :- wife its passage to permit him to vote of Sylvester Williams, of Julian, against it, he dodged and got on Pa. was found dead in her home on Tuesday evening, Sept. 10. She had been gathering elderberries during the forenoon and attending her household duties in the afternoon. One of her eighbors passed the house at three clock and conversed with her, and at hat time she was as lively as ever and pparently in the best of health. At 6 clock she was found lying upon the rical storm which passed over that secon that evening. The deceased leaves three small children, ages ranging from 5 months to 5 years. She was 22 years of age and was a daughter of Mr, and Mrs. Danie Wills.

JAMES E. IRVIN :- of South Sharon Pa. died at the home of his brother, Edward Irvin, about one mile north of Bald He might easily be forgiven for dodging the vote on the bill increasing the number of employes in the Adjutant General's office.—Legislative Record, 1905, page 3717, for the worst effect of that measure was to Flack, of Bellefonte. She survives him together with two daughters and four sons, Mrs. Hannah Alderman, Mrs. H. Hobbes, Robert A.. Harry, Chester and Raymond. He leaves three brothers and one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Bowers, of Bridgeport, Ohio, William.of Pleasant Gap; Thomas and Edward, of Bald Eagle.

MRS. JOSEPH BRUNGARD :-- died Saturday morning Sept. 7th, at the home of her son, Adam Brungard, near Loganton, aged 70 years. Her death was due to dropsy and she had been ill for some time. The husband of the deceased died about seven months ago. She is survived by two sons, Jerome, of Brushvalley, and Adam, of Sugarvalley. The funeral was held Monday morning. Interment at Loganton.

CLAYTON LINN: -- son of Miles Linn, residing in Beech Creek township, Clinton county, died Friday morning from typhoid fever, aged 30 years. He was a well known and popular young man. He was married less than a year ago and leaves a young wife, father, one brother. Ellery, of Patton; and one sister, Miss Flo, at home.

Veterans' Reunion.

the Republic of Blair and adjoining counties held their forty-second annual 18 lbs. A Sugar.....\$1.00 reunion at Lakemont Park Saturday. There were over 30,000 people in atten

Since the fish basket license has been scaled down from \$5 to \$1, the Democrat is informed by one who observed it, that the river is dotted with large numbers of fish baskets all along. We supsmaller streams. If the fish baskets are as plenty as our informant reports, the supply of fish in the streams will soon be correspondingly lessened.

When a woman says her husband is the light of her life he probably doesn't

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

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BELLEFONTE-GRAIN.
The following prices are paid by C. Y. Wag This is in brief the legislative rec-Corn.shelled

H. B. Patton Injured.

H. B. Patton, a Prohibitionist talker and a candidate for Lieutenant Governor a year ago, who was injured at Harrisburg three weeks ago by being struck by a trolley car, was discharged from the Harrisburg Hospital on Saturday, His friends in Bellefonte will be glad to learn he has recovered.

It's up to the spinster to learn how to strike a match.

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	Household Ammonia	8c	IOC
	Canned Corn 3 cans for.	25C	
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	Caustic Soda	90	12C
	Nicnacs, 3 lbs for	25C	
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