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EFFORT TO OUST EMERY AS DELEGATE

Movement Started by Penrose's Hirelings

EMERY NOT A REPUBLICAN

Was Elected by an Overwhelming Vote Over Col. Reynolds at the Primaries—Notice Entered of the Contest.

Our readers will remember that at the recent primaries in this district Lewis Emery, Jr., of Bradford, and Col. W. Fred Reynolds, of Bellefonte, were candidates for delegate to the Republican National Convention. In this county, as well as others in the district, Reynolds was backed by the Gang. In this county the Gazette, Love, and their Penrose following, almost fell over themselves whooping it up for the Col., and in denouncing Emery. The result was that Emery, in Centre county, polled a surprisingly large vote, and literally swept the balance of the district like a cyclone. Now these political roosters hope to unseat the man the party chose at the polls. The following is an extract from an article that appeared in the North American, on Monday, from Bradford:

"Assemblyman Robert P. Habgood, of Bradford, the loud young politician whom Penrose hopes to install as speaker of the next House of Representatives, is in jubilation over the formal launching of his great scheme to contest the seat of ex-Senator Lewis Emery, Jr., as a delegate to the Republican National Convention from the Twenty-first Pennsylvania District.

Habgood, who was crowded on the slate as a delegate-at-large in order to get advertising for his speakership candidacy, has been making a great racket in telling how Delegate Emery would be "chucked out" of the national convention. He has been the main promoter of the "chucking out" enterprise, which has now been fairly started by the filing of a contest for Emery's seat by W. Fred Reynolds, of Bellefonte, the slated man whom Emery defeated so badly for the delegateship at the recent Republican primaries.

Word has been received here that Reynolds entered notice of his contest before the Republican national committee last Thursday, and the national committee will be the body to decide the case. Habgood is expected to furnish ammunition, such as he can produce, to throw at Emery, who has opposed his snappy political practices ever since he came back to McKean county a few years ago from Baltimore.

While Habgood has exuberant hopes of seeing Emery turned out of the delegateship and the defeated Reynolds put in his place, the contest is regarded here as a decidedly doubtful affair. Habgood's motive is apparent to every one, and the Republican voters who elected Emery as a delegate look upon the effort as nothing less than an insult.

The stated ground for the contest is that Emery is "not a member of the Republican party," although he has always been a Republican able to command a larger vote in the party than any other man in McKean county. For years, however, he has been opposed to gang misrule in the state. The Habgood-Reynolds bill of particulars against him is that he is a Democrat because the Democracy placed him on its ticket for Governor in 1906, after the independent Republicans, organized for working purposes in the state under the title of Lincoln party, had nominated him for Governor.

In his campaign for the delegateship Emery clearly stated that he would favor that candidate for the presidency who would in his opinion best carry out the Roosevelt policies. On that platform he won easily over Reynolds, who was classed as sure for Knox.

Soldiers in Line.

Saturday being Memorial Day it was appropriately observed in Bellefonte; the day dawned beautifully, and the arrangements for the observance, as planned by the Gregg Post, No. 95, G. A. R., gave promise of being one of the most interesting occasions of the kind ever witnessed here for some time. Just after dinner a number of civic and military organizations assembled on the diamond for the parade. As they were forming into line a heavy thunder shower came up and they were forced to make a retreat, many going to the court house where the orations of the day were made. The presiding officer was H. B. Pontius, the Commander of the Post. The orator of the day was Dr. J. Allison Platts, pastor of the Presbyterian church, who made one of his characteristic addresses, filled with patriotic zeal and expanding new ideas in keeping with the teachings of the day. Rev. John Hewitt, a confederate soldier, then made a very pleasing address, containing many excellent thoughts.

After the meeting in the court house a partial parade took place, headed by the Coleville band, the march was made to the Union cemetery which never looked prettier than on this occasion. Most of the graves were bedecked with flowers, a tribute of loved ones to those who had gone before; the address here was made by Commander Pontius, followed by a prayer by Chaplain James Harris. The customary decoration services for all the honored dead of both the army and navy took place.

Rev. A. M. Schmidt made an address at the grave of the late D. H. Hastings and Col. J. L. Spangler spoke at the grave of the great war governor, A. G. Curtin. The annual beautiful floral emblem was received from the Pennsylvania Reserve Corps, Philadelphia, for the decoration of the grave of Governor Curtin. This attracted a large number of people.

CONCLUSION OF COURT.

J. L. Kreamer vs. Wm. Vonada, Wm. Close and Wm. Fees, being an action in ejectment to recover a tract of land in Haines township and being a case that had been tried in this court some years ago and an appeal taken to the Supreme and Superior courts and reversed. Plaintiff suffered a voluntary non suit.

Annie Simco, widow for herself and on behalf of Mary Simco, Chas. Simco, Mattie Simco and Andrew Simco, minor children of Steve Simco, deceased, vs. American Lime and Stone Co., a corporation, being an action in trespass brought to recover damages from the defendant by reason of the death of the husband and father of the plaintiff on December 7th, in the stone quarry of defendants.

The facts in this case are the same as in the case of Rosie Bevanco. Verdict on Thursday afternoon in favor of the defendant.

Joseph McGowan vs. Benner township, being an action in trespass to recover damages from the defendant township, for injuries to buggy, harness and death of the horse. From the testimony it appears that on the night of December 24, 1907, the plaintiff in driving home from Bellefonte, living up beyond Roopsburg, with a friend of his crossed the bridge across the mill race at Roopsburg, there being no guard rails on the bridge or at the side, and being dark he slipped into the race by reason of no guard rails at the side of the bridge. That he and his friend got out of the water but that the horse drowned. That the value of the horse was \$125, while the defendant alleges that the horse was not worth what was claimed for it by the plaintiff and that had never been assessed. Verdict on Friday morning in favor of the plaintiff for \$50.

Sim Baum vs. Isaac Thomas, Sr., an action in assumpsit, and the cause is brought to recover on a book account against the defendant. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$431.57.

Mary Minerich vs. American Lime & Stone Co., a corporation, being an action in trespass, case continued, pending settlement at the costs of the defendant. Clyde Sommerville, convicted for betrayal, was then sentenced and court adjourned on Friday evening.

A Fairy Tale.

The following item is from the Altoona Times of last week. We would like to know where "Ice mountain" is located and gain the acquaintance of the expert angler.

"Eighty-five years young and as sprightly and active as a person of half her years, 'Mother' Campbell, residing on Ice mountain, Centre county, is making one of her periodical visits to this city, being a guest of Landlord Wm. E. Bell of the Kitchie hotel. 'Mother' Campbell is remarkably well preserved, and besides alone in the wilds of Ice mountain, she is in possession of all her faculties and is in excellent physical condition. Her favorite diversion is trout fishing along the brooks of Ice mountain, and this spring she has made a number of nice catches. She whips streams that would appall young men in the prime of life, and apparently feels none the worse for her vigorous exercise. She is an expert fishwoman, taking extreme delight in 'showing up' the swell disciples of Isaak Walton who frequent the streams in the vicinity of her mountain home."

Earthquake at Allentown.

All Allentown was thrown into a paroxysm at 12:42 Sunday afternoon by what is believed to have been a distinct earthquake shock. It was of severe enough intensity to rock buildings, bang shutters, rattle windows, clatter crockery, tumble down two or three rickety chimneys and upset small children.

People rushed out of their homes in great alarm. Mothers carried out their children in fear that their homes were about to fall. The shaking was felt all over the city, but not beyond its limits or in any of its suburbs. In the western part of the city, where the quaking was most apparent, the people noticed a muffled noise.

Rumors spread that a powder mill five miles from Allentown blew up and that various boilers at manufacturing plants had exploded, but all these reports, traced out, were proved false, leaving the sole conclusion that it was a seismic disturbance. The Lord evidently knew where to strike because it is claimed that Allentown is one of the most licentious cities in the state. It is morally corrupt.

Baseballist Injured.

The Athletics were defeated Friday afternoon at Wooden's park, Tyrone, by the State College Reserves, by the score of 15 to 1. During the game an unfortunate accident occurred to Edwin L. Study, a member of the home team. In the act of sliding to third base, in some manner both bones in his right leg were fractured, just above the ankle. He was immediately picked up by his team mates and conveyed to the home of his sister, Mrs. C. A. Steel, and Dr. W. S. Musser summoned, who reduced the fracture. This is particularly unfortunate for Mr. Study, who just recently arrived home from Philadelphia, where he graduated from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy.

Young Man Injured.

Asbury Pletcher, of Howard, a young school teacher of Centre county and member of Company B, Fifth regiment N. G. P., was riding a freight from Tyrone to his home on Thursday evening when he jumped off and broke his left leg. The lad was taken to the Altoona hospital where the fracture was reduced. Pletcher is a very bright, industrious young man about eighteen years of age, and no reason can be given for his riding freights.

A notable event was that which took place at Sandy Ridge the other evening when the old employes presented to the retiring superintendent of the Sandy Ridge Fire Brick Co., Lawrence L. Brown, a beautiful gold chain as an evidence of the esteem with which they have always regarded him and will ever hold towards him.

STEAL RECTOR HEWITT'S DINNER

Exhaust His Patience and he Complains to the Police

IMPUDENT TRAMP FOLLOWS

Several Raids Made Recently at the Same Place—No Clue to Theft—Warn Reception Promised for the Next Intruder.

Since coming to Bellefonte Rev. John Hewitt has had the time of his life to keep enough around his house to eat. To use the familiar expression, "They're after him." About a month ago, while Bishop Darlington, of Harrisburg, was here, some field stole his dinner. Last week he robbed the parson of two good dinners, and again on Sunday morning, like Grandmother Hubbard, he went to the cupboard and found the cupboard bare. Some one had gotten away with his Sunday dinner. Patience had now reached its limit. Hewitt who reported the theft to the police who now seem to have some trace of the offender, and it is to be hoped he will be caught and brought to justice.

To add insult to injury a fierce looking tramp appeared at the back of the Episcopal manse door on Sunday afternoon and asked the girl for something to eat. Rev. Hewitt appeared on the scene and inquired of the "Weary Will" what was wanted to which he replied "I am from Pittsburg, and I want work and something to eat and that's quick." The reverend wasn't in the mood to be interviewed with such a definite purpose so he ordered the tramp away, whose parting salute to Rev. Hewitt was, "You are the third preacher's house I have been at to-day and got nothing." It was evident that he used the same coarse tactics at each place, he was rightly burned down. The case was reported to Mayor Curtin and the police, who searched the town for the "hobo" but he could not be found. He evidently conceived the idea that they were after him so he scraped the dust of Bellefonte from his shoes and departed. If the knight of the road had given Rev. Hewitt any back talk the officers would have had no trouble to find him; but that would have been necessary would have been to carry him away on a stretcher.

COL. AUSTIN CURTIN HOME.

Thursday Col. Austin Curtin and wife arrived at Roland after an extended absence at Vicksburg, Miss., where the Colonel was detained on account of having four serious operations performed. Although not entirely well he was glad to get back among his old comrades and friends. He is looking well considering what has gone through since he last left Bellefonte for the South. Before leaving the hospital he was given the assurance he would permanently recover which is hoped will prove correct. He and his excellent wife have opened their house at the old rolling mill where they will be glad to see their friends. As usual Colonel drives to Bellefonte once or twice a week where his many friends are always glad to see him.

He stated that on several occasions he sent the Centre Democrat documents that he thought would please our old soldier readers if we had seen fit to publish them, and said he was a little disappointed that we had not used them. The only explanation to this we could give our good friend Curtin was, the documents, for some unaccountable reason, never reached this office, which is rather strange to say the least. It would have given us pleasure to have published anything from the hand of Col. Curtin because it would have been appreciated by our readers in general and especially by the large number of old soldiers who read the Centre Democrat. Monday Col. Curtin was in Bellefonte and gave us a couple descriptive pamphlets of the cemetery and battle fields of the South, especially those located within the vicinity of Vicksburg. These are both interesting and instructive, and worthy of perusal.

Pleasure Trip Marred.

On Memorial afternoon Boyd Sampsel, an employee in John I. Oelweide's hardware store, hired a two-horse conveyance in Bellefonte and took his family to Boalsburg where they spent several hours among friends. After dark they started home and when between Boalsburg and Oak Hall the horses frightened and started to run away. His family jumped out, but with the pluck and tenacity of a bull dog Boyd held onto the ribbons. He evidently was not going in a B line, for when he reached the bridge near Oak Hall, he missed it and plunged into the creek. Before the driver knew what was going on he found himself up to his waist in water. If the young man had been addicted to swearing it is probable that you could have seen a streak of brimstone from the place where the animals frightened to where he succeeded in getting them stopped in the middle of the creek. No damage was done except to the harness which was soon sufficiently repaired to enable him to get home without any further trouble. Another lamentable fact about this accident was that it was the first outing of the kind the family had together for two years. The next time Boyd takes a trip like that he wants to put the horses some place where they can't get hold of Spanish flies.

Credits Given.

All persons who remitted on subscription during the month of May will find proper credit given for same by a change of date on their label; you can always see to what time your paper is paid by looking at the date on your label. In case of an error please notify this office at once, stating clearly what you think was the error. Always look at the date on your label to see how your account stands.

'BUCK' THE TOURIST.

Young "Bucky" Bathurst, a graduate of four months' service in the Democrat office, having a hankering for a change of life, concluded some six weeks ago to raise himself to the degree of ex-prince's devil, and took leave. Equipped with his experience in this shanty, he hid himself to a farm down on Bald Eagle and having served several weeks in "running it", concluded that his knowledge of agricultural science fitted him for some higher branch, and, accordingly, he joined a band of gypsies that happened along here some two weeks ago, and pitched their camp along the banks of the Bald Eagle, concluding that gypsying was the ideal life, suited to his taste and nature. He abode and traveled with the wandering nomads some ten days, when he concluded his higher education and experience thus obtained warranted him in leaving his new-made friends in the lurch. Reaching Tyrone with the boss-jockies and fortune tellers, he struck for a higher degree, and pitched a freight for Pittsburg, where young Bathurst has a brothe employed in the freight department of the Pennsy, who learning of the distinguished arrival, the brother took him in charge and, no doubt, gave him the freedom of the Smoky City, and saw to it that he was transported back to Tyrone as "first class freight" and from that railroad town he changed to a Bald Eagle Valley freight and landed among his dotting parents in Bellefonte.

A Dangerous Road.

The old turnpike leading from Bellefonte to State College is now in such deplorable condition that it is unsafe for travel. The Rishel hill above Axeman has been washed by the heavy rains until there are deep gulleys in the roadway that absolutely are dangerous. The road in the village of Lemont is also in a dangerous condition, really unfit for travel. This turnpike recently was abandoned and Benner and College townships practically have done no work on it for some time. There is a possibility of people having a serious accident while traveling by night, and one damage case would prove more expensive than maintaining several miles of roads. This piece of road for years has been one of the most abominable driveways in the county, owing to the numerous unnecessary breakers due to a lack of judgment in construction and drainage. As there is much travel between State College and the county seat this road should be kept in at least passable condition, instead of being one of the worst stretches in the county.

Academy Has Hard Luck.

The Bellefonte Academy baseball nine returned home Tuesday from a trip to Salisbury and Indiana. Saturday they crossed the bridge with the strong "Kick" nine and were defeated by the score of 5-0. Monday they played the champion Indiana Normal team and had them beaten up to the ninth inning by the score of 2-1. In the last inning the umpire allowed the first man to go to first on balls who was clearly struck out by Mellen, the second man up struck out and the third man knocked an easy ball to Laderer who struck the Indiana runner on the shoulder as he was making the run that tied the score. The next batsman made a hit and sent in the winning run. Many spectators agreed with the Academy in claiming that the first Indiana man in the ninth inning should not have been allowed to take first on balls. This decision proved fatal to the Academy. Our boys earned the game having 6 hits and 3 errors to Indiana's 3 hits and six errors.

Four Hot Shots.

The Salvation Army, of Bellefonte, have planned a grand gospel campaign under the leadership of Col. Alexander M. Damon, S. A. of Philadelphia. The first meeting will be in the court house on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. On Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock he will occupy the pulpit in the Presbyterian church. In the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock he will speak to young men in the court house, in the evening at 7:30 o'clock he will speak in the Methodist church.

Col. Damon Recognized as One of the Most Active Leaders in the Salvation Army Movement.

He is an eloquent and earnest speaker whose main object of life is to do good. It is to be hoped that he will be greeted with large congregations.

School Board Organizing.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bellefonte school board was held Monday evening. The business of the evening consisted of the work of settling up the accounts for the year just closed and the organization of the new board. H. C. Quigley was elected president of the board, G. R. Parker treasurer and J. K. Barnhart secretary for the ensuing year. This being the time for the election of superintendents of schools there were two applicants—the present incumbent, Jno. D. Meyer, and Jonas Wagner, principal of the High School. Meyer was elected.

State Grand Army Men.

The forty-second annual encampment of the Pennsylvania Grand Army of the Republic convened at Erie on Tuesday and will continue until Friday of this week. The parade of the veterans took place at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning and a big camp fire was held at the Majestic theatre at night. General Barton, of Kansas, Commander in Chief Wagner, and Generals Beath, Stewart and Gobin participated in the exercises. The likely candidate for department commander is P. DeLacey, of Scranton.

Stay on the Farm.

In order that boys and girls shall grow up to love the farm it must be made lovable. There is nothing lovable about a run-down farm, with its dilapidated buildings and lack of conveniences for comfort. One cannot blame boys and girls for leaving such farms. There is no more inviting place on earth to live than a well-kept, well-tilled, well-stocked farm; nor is there hardly a more uninviting place than one that is poorly kept.

SEVERAL ATTEMPTS TO WRECK AUTOS

Obstructions Placed in Roadway in Nittany Valley

INVESTIGATION IS STARTED

Done at Night When an Accident is Most Likely—A Serious Offence—Will Land Someone in the Penitentiary

Complaint is heard again that down Nittany valley, in the vicinity of Snyderstown, some one is in the habit of placing obstructions in the road at night for approaching automobiles. We presume guilty parties do not realize the seriousness of this act and think it is fun to see an auto strike a fence rail and leap in the air, crack an axle, snap a spring, twist a wheel, bust a tire and turn the occupants a flipper in the air and possibly break a few bones on a neck. All this may seem fun to those who hide at a safe distance, and chuckle, but hardly realize the seriousness of the deed.

Such conduct is more than malicious; on the same plan as train wrecking, conviction for which carries with it a long time in the penitentiary, where the culprit at a distance from home can peer through the iron bars for years and reflect over his maliciousness. Three cases are recently reported of attempts to wreck autos at night down that road. In all seriousness the Centre Democrat wishes to caution the offenders, as steps are now being taken to capture the right parties, and in a prosecution no leniency would be shown. Better stop it; cut it out.

Penn. Cave Undergoing Repairs.

Extensive repairs and improvements are being made at the Penn. Cave house by the new owners of the Cave. The hotel is being repainted on the exterior and interior, and the rooms are being repaired and furnished on the three floors.

A water system has also been installed, the water being pumped from a well by a gasoline engine to the attic, and from there is run by gravity to the various parts of the building. Bath and toilet rooms have been installed on the three floors, and everything is being made to afford comfort and convenience to the guests who go there for health and recreation.

The owners also have in contemplation the beautifying of the grounds, and the placing of a new and larger boat to carry passengers into the most wonderful cavern. An acetylene search light of many hundred candle power is now in use, and the cave for the first time is being seen in detail. The most curious objects of limestone formation have been discovered, and the sightseer is obliged to keep continually craning his neck to see the many heretofore unobserved objects of admiration.

Gentle's Summer Resort.

The lake down near Zion, which covers several hundred acres of choice farm land on the Kauffman, Gentle and other farms, shows no signs of subsiding. The recent rains have kept it up and as a result crops will practically be destroyed there for this season. As it extends over the back road leading from Pleasant Gap to Zion, and at some places is as high as the fence tops, it makes that road impassable for the present. The other night a party in an automobile came along there at a smart speed and just by the skin of their teeth were able to stop at the water's edge and were saved a good bath. Many people unthinkingly take that road and find themselves compelled to drive back as they are not willing to risk the fording at that point. If the thing keeps up Perry Gentle will have a trolley line built out from Bellefonte, open a summer resort, with boating, bathing and fishing and in a short time could put Hecla Park high and dry. There would be a fortune in it.

Killed by Lightning.

Absalom Pearce, a well known farmer of Cooper township, Clearfield county, residing about one mile from Kyertown, with three of his sons went fishing on Friday to Black Moshannon, and camped in a tent under a large tree near the stream. When the heavy storm of that evening set in they sought shelter in the tent, and had been there only a little while when a bolt of lightning struck the tree under which their tent stood and taking a downward course, made a victim of the aged father, killing him instantly. One of the sons was also stunned and remained unconscious for awhile.

Will go to China.

W. T. Tomhave, professor of annual industry at the Experiment Station at the Pennsylvania State College, has been selected by the Chinese government to go to Mukden, Manchuria, for the purpose of establishing a government college and agricultural experiment station. The appointment came through Wu Tung Tang, Chinese minister plenipotentiary to the United States. When in this country a number of years ago the present Minister was greatly impressed with the work done at State College and realizing that a similar institution could do incalculable good in his country interested the Chinese government to that end that they have decided to establish a school and Prof. Tomhave has been selected as the man to take charge of the work.

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FACT, FUN AND FANCY

Bright, Sparkling Paragraphs—Selected and Original.

THE FISHIN' FEVER.

If you find yourself a-feelin'
That you'd like to pick a fight,
If you find you're not a-sleepin'
An' you hardly eat a bite,
If your head just keeps a-throbbin'
At a mile a minute rate,
You have got to quit your workin'
An' begin a-diggin' bait.

EXPERIENCE.

A small boy is a lad,
But a man is not a ladder;
He merely grows up wise
And oftentimes much sadder!

Mary had a little lamb,
And when she saw it sicken
She sent it to the packing-house,
And now it's labeled "chicken."

Mary had a piece of gum,
It was as white as snow,
And everywhere that Mary went
That gum was sure to go.

It followed her to school one day,
Which was against the rule;
The teacher took the gum away
And chewed it after school.

Even the kicker must see the mark,
Many a woman talks like 60 who isn't.

The swindler is out for the "good things of life."
You laugh at some people. Others laugh at you.

The Summer Girl is beginning to sit up and take notice.

The deadly automobile is one thing in which to take a lay ride.

The very nicest girl in the world is the one the boys are the most afraid of.

Don't make a bluff bet with the elevator boy. He will always take you up.

When you ask a girl to do with you you should put the question with a rising inflection.

"WHAT'S IN A NAME?"

"What's your name, sir?"

"What's your wife's name?"

"Wood, of course."

"H-m; both wood. A-h, any kindling?"—Success Magazine.

DIDN'T FIND OUT.

"Pa," said little Bobby, who had been allowed to sit up a little while after supper, with the understanding that he was to ask no foolish questions, "can God do everything?"

"Yes."

"Can he make a two-foot rule with only one end to it?"

"One more question like that," said his father, "and you will be packed off to bed."

Bobby was silent for a few moments and then asked: "Pa, can a camel go ten days without water?"

"Yes, my son."

"Well, how many days could he go if he had water?"

The next thing Bobby knew he was in bed.

Bert Robb's Experience.

Saturday morning Bert Robb, one of the obliging clerks in the Centre County Bank, secured a team from the Palace Livery, and with a lady friend drove over to Old Fort for dinner. After they had started back one of the horses became a little frisky, making a number of jumps to the side. His companion realizing her hazardous position made good her escape by jumping. Bert held onto the lines like a little major until the yoke strap broke, realizing that he was now up against the real thing he came to the conclusion that it needed more than herculean strength to stop the runaway team that was coming down the pike at the speed of a mile a minute. Bert not wishing to die so soon, and especially in that way, finally turned the unmanageable beasts into a telephone pole along side of the pike. The pole was struck with such momentum that the driver was hurled from the conveyance, lighting on "terra firma" some distance away. He was a little bit stung but was able to get back to the horses before they got away. The only damage done was the yoke and the harness were broken, which seemed almost miraculous. They afterwards got things in shape and returned home.

Gilmore Will Leave.

The announcement was made by the faculty of the School of Agriculture of the Pennsylvania State college last Saturday of the resignation of Prof. John W. Gilmore. To take effect Aug. 1, Prof. Gilmore has been elected president of the Hawaiian college. This institution was organized by act of legislature in 1907 and receives a Federal grant of \$30,000 from the United States government. The Hawaiian legislature has also appropriated \$25,000 additional for the maintenance of the college. The faculty for this new institution, which will consist of 20 members, will be selected by President Gilmore. His new field of labor and the duties incumbent upon him as president, is very great. The office carries with it a large salary and other emoluments.

Were Light Sentences.

Many people thought that when Judge Orvis sentenced Carter and Jones last week, the two colored boys who slugged, robbed and then threw Harry Brown on the track, that it was a good stiff one, and complimented the court for the position he took. By way of contrast, we will note a similar affair in Union county last week. Samuel Askins who slugged and robbed a man got costs and eight years in the penitentiary. Michael Petrish, who broke in a box car, was also given costs and eight years. The Bellefonte lads' deed was much worse and they only got three and four years. Judge Orvis was exceedingly lenient with these two colored men, no doubt due to the fact that they were comparatively young men.