

TRYING TO MAKE PEACE.

Under the above heading "The Philadelphia Press" makes the following editorial comment regarding the efforts of the Democratic Re-organizers to bring about an end of the present difficulties in the party:

"The reorganization Democrats of this State indicate a confidence that they have a majority of the party voters with them by renewing to the other faction the proposition made by Chairman Guthrie some time ago. The offer is now made on the authority of the State Executive Committee, six of the nine members of which are acting with the reorganizers.

"The proposition is that the chairman of the two factions shall unite in a joint call for a State convention, the roll of delegates to be made up under joint supervision, placing on it the names of those shown to be elected by the official certificates and no others, the convention to be called to order by a temporary president, jointly selected, and leave to the convention thus organized the decision of all questions. It is not our province or purpose to give advice in this matter, but it is one of real public interest, and for that reason gets attention. To the impartial observer the offer made will appear as altogether fair, for it puts the whole case up to the party voters at the primaries where it belongs, and where in fact it must be determined.

"Neither faction could expect long to sustain itself if it failed to elect a majority of the delegates to the State convention. The old organization with a minority of delegates might hold a rump convention and elect national delegates and go through the other forms, but it could not expect to have a permanent standing. Its rejection of the proposition made to it would be accepted as indicating that it intended to pursue some other course. What would be done in the national convention to a delegation elected under such conditions can be readily guessed.

"It is a fortunate thing for our disputing friends that they can go to the primaries. They are conducted under restrictions of law, and only those who are properly chosen can get credentials as delegates. It will be known very soon after the primaries which faction has won, and it would be altogether useless for the losing faction to hold a separate convention with a minority of the regularly elected delegates. The issue at the primaries will be all the clearer because there is no issue between the factions as to a Presidential candidate. Both are generally supporting Governor Wilson.

"The offer of the reorganizers is made to avoid two conventions; to provide a single convention which shall be controlled by the majority faction, whichever that shall be. There is no other way in sight to do it."

Two Pastors Vow At Conference. An affecting scene was enacted on Saturday at the Central Pennsylvania Methodist laymen's conference, Williamsport, while Bishop McDowell was presiding.

The Rev. Harry Daniels, a young minister, under the new rule of the church, was about to be denied full membership because he used tobacco, when he volunteered to come before the conference and pledge himself never again to taste the weed.

Although he had been in the ministry for many years he was an inveterate smoker, and that with the young man now assuming the oath, he, too, would take that vow for medicinal purposes.

Bishop McDowell was moved to emotion, and many of the 300 ministers were in tears as the two men thus vowed to abstain from tobacco. Dr. Shriner some eight years ago was pastor of the Bellefonte M. E. church.

Lays Down Law to Hotel Men. William Wahl of the Hotel Waldorf, Evans City, and Henry W. Stokely of the New Stokely, Zelenople, the only Butler county hotel men to hold licenses after April 1, were called before Judge James M. Galbreath and given careful instructions. They were informed they must not sell liquor in any form by the bottle except on prescription, and then only to the person in whose name the prescription is written by the physician. They must know who the liquor is for if it is sold for medicinal purposes.

The court told the hotel men to put up "no treating" signs and enforce the rule that every one shall pay for his own drinks. This is a result of the petition of the Grangers of the county that a no-treating rule be put into effect.

The hotels are the only ones in Butler and Lawrence counties having licenses, and hundreds are expected to go to them for liquor.

Fatally Burned by Exploded Lamp. The nine-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vonneda, two miles south of Lewisburg was burned to death. Mr. Vonneda was away from home and the mother had gone from the house for a few minutes, leaving the child asleep in the cradle and a lighted lamp standing on a table. When she returned she found the interior of the room ablaze. Fighting her way to the cradle, in and around which the flames were burning fiercely, she grasped the child and carried it to the yard, screaming for help. The tot was still alive, but died before a physician arrived. The supposition is that the lamp exploded, scattering burning oil over the cradle and about the room.

Kansas War on Rabbits. Kansas has spent over \$100,000 in five months trying to remove its chief pest, the jackrabbit. Every county in the western half of the state paid a bounty of 5 cents for each rabbit killed, and when the bounty season closed the total amount paid out was \$101,672.

For several years the jackrabbits in central and western Kansas have demolished alfalfa fields, gardens, orchards, and wheat fields.

Spring Mills Academy. Monday, April 8, 1912, will be the opening of the Summer Normal school in Spring Mills Academy for a term of eight weeks. The purpose of the school will be to review thoroughly the so-called "common branches," and to lead students so they may find how to gain the mastery of things pertaining to their studies.

U. A. MOYER.

Boy of Three a Smoker. Wilbur Rhodes Lovens, aged three years, of Pelham, Mass., has smoked his grandfather's pipe since he was a year old. When he was an infant he cried for something to play with, his grandfather, to whom the pipe had descended, gave it to him. When the child's mother discovered that he had learned to smoke she tried in vain to break him of the habit.

WHO STABBED BERRY?

It was State Treasurer Berry, a democrat without guile who discovered and pointed out the gigantic robbery in the building of the new state capitol. No treasurer of this state ever did the people of this commonwealth a greater service, than did Mr. Berry who was true to his oath and to the citizens of the state when he exposed this gigantic fraud. There were "democrats" who advised Mr. Berry "to keep quiet, it would only make a fuss."

Who were those "democrats" who went to Allentown and convention and stabbed him? They were the very fellows who are now claiming "regularity," who have all along been in cahoot with the republican Philadelphia gangsters, and were the helpers of these Philadelphia ballot box stuffers and registration falsifiers. With the aid of these professed "democrats," they whittled down the democratic party of that corrupt city, from upwards of seventy-five thousand, and voted to twenty-five thousand. And the same are the fellows who are now yelling "regularity," thereby hoping to deceive the honest Democracy and keep the gangsters in power.

These well-known "regularity" shriekers are now secretly under cover working with the republican Philadelphia gangsters so that the boodle may continue to be dished out to them, WITH REGULARITY as heretofore. They are the fellows who stabbed treasurer Berry at the Allentown convention. And these fellows now orders to stab the faithful and faultless Chairman Kimpfort for being true to the Democracy of the party, and achieving the splendid Democratic victory in the Central county election. These fellows like to be given the brevet republicans, masquerading as democrats, great discomfiture. What say you, democrats of old Centre? Will you be there awake to prevent the evening? We have no repetition of the Allentown stabbing of faithful democrats.

DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The District Sunday School Convention convened in the Lutheran church at Pleasant Gap, at 2:30 P. M. March 14th, 1912. The convention was presided over by Rev. C. C. Shuey, presiding. The convention opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. J. I. Stoneypher of Boalsburg. Organization and enrollment of delegates followed. T. M. Weaver, W. M. Bilker and David Miller were appointed as a nominating committee for officers for the coming year. Rev. C. C. Shuey gave a talk on "Missions in the Sunday School." Miss Martha Robinson, state field worker, gave a very instructive talk on the "Sunday School Sessions." Evening session conducted by Rev. Engler of Pleasant Gap, and solo sung by Mrs. J. T. Noll. The report of nominating committee for officers for the ensuing year was: President, Rev. C. W. Winey; treasurer, A. L. Lank; secretary, Mrs. T. J. Jodon; elementary department, Miss Ida Green; home department, Mrs. Albert Smetzer; teachers training, E. R. Owens; bible class, David Miller; temperance, Rev. Hawes; Miss Robinson and Rev. Hawes were the speakers for the evening. Miss Robinson sang for her subject, "Some Significant Facts;" Rev. Hawes "Soul Winning the Chief Aim of the Sunday School." The following were present from the following Sunday schools: Bellefonte M. E., Pleasant Gap M. E., Pleasant Gap Lutheran, Axemann M. E., U. E. Bellefonte Reformed, Bellefonte, Presbyterian, Bellefonte, Pleasant Gap Bible School, Coleville Union, Coleville Olive Branch. There were present, thirty-six delegates and three superintendents and twenty-one teachers and five ministers.

MRS. T. E. JODON, Sec.

Who's to Blame?

An automobile frightened a jack rabbit; the rabbit in getting through a woven-wire fence scared a flock of sheep; the sheep took to their heels and caused a team to run away; the team went crashing into a corral gate just at milking time; a beautiful girl had just finished milking eight cows; the herd stampeded and all but one pair of milk was upset and old Brindle even stepped in that once, though it wasn't overturned. Now who is to blame for the loss of all that milk?

A Good Suggestion. It is said that the Rev. Dr. Spangler, pastor of the Reedsville and Yeagertown Lutheran churches, will be a candidate for the nomination of Representative in the General Assembly. The Doctor is a Democrat and an able man, and if nominated and elected our county will be ably represented.—Bellville Times.

Rev. Dr. Spangler is well known by the Centre Democrat, and all said by the Times is true.

Odd Fellows' Strength.

An average of 133 every hour was paid out by the Odd Fellows of Pennsylvania for relief purposes during the year just closed. According to a report prepared by the Grand Secretary Joseph Mackey, for the grand lodge session held in Williamsport recently, the total amount paid out for the relief was \$728,445.79, an average of \$1,995.49 per day. But so large is the three-link membership in Pennsylvania that the average cost per week for each member was less than 10 cents. There are at present in this state 143,834 Odd Fellows and 165 lodges.

Sow Adopts Starving Kitten.

When a half starved kitten turned up at the farm of O. T. Robinson near Miami, Mo., it found none of its own kind to associate with, and made the acquaintance of a sow and her young pigs, quartered in the barn. In a few days the sow adopted the kitten, and suckled it as she did her own progeny. The pigs have outgrown the kitten but it stays with them, follows them about and sleeps with them.

Large Steel Screw for Panama.

One of the largest screws ever manufactured is being made at the Driggs-Scabury Ordnance works at Sharon, and it will be used in one of the locks of the Panama canal. The order is from a Pittsburgh concern that has a large contract from the government. The screw is 22 feet long and ten inches in diameter. A huge nut has also been made to fit the end of the threaded high chilled steel.

Rebersburg Select School.

The Rebersburg Select School will open on April 8, 1912, and continue for eight weeks. Special attention will be given to those preparing to teach, as well as others who wish to further themselves in their chosen course.

S. A. BIERLY, Teacher.

JUDGES CHEERED.

Refusal of Licenses in Union County Court Causes Sensation. Of the twelve liquor applications heard in the Union county court Wednesday and Thursday of last week, Judge Johnson and his associates, Rowe and Diefenderfer, all refused and granted eight. All the applicants are old established hotels and have had licenses for 20 or more years.

After a hearing that lasted from 6 o'clock Wednesday evening until late Thursday afternoon, the judges refused to renew the licenses of the Commercial and Deekart Hotels at Millersburg, thus making the town totally dry. A remonstrance signed by nearly all the business men of Millersburg was filed against these hotels. The landlords were charged with selling to minors.

The court house was filled with men and women, who cheered the judges when they rendered their decision. In addition to the Millersburg hotels, licenses were refused the Union Hotel, Lewisburg, and Great Western Hotel, at Vicksburg. The applications of the New Columbia and West Milton Hotels and the Reish distillery were considered at a night session.

Finds Strange Tribes.

Dr. Karl Kumm, African explorer, distinguished scientist and man of letters of London, arrived at Los Angeles last week en route to Washington, where he will lay evidence before the heads of the National Geographical Society that he has discovered new tribes, faces of Africa and birds in the heart of the dark continent. Doctor Kumm is an honorary member of the Royal Scotch Geographical Society.

"I have proof," declared Doctor Kumm, "that I have found men, negroes, with the faces of dogs. They spoke in a low guttural bark, not unlike that of the canine. They live by clans, and their mode of life is not unlike that of the stone age."

"In another part of Africa, far from the haunts of white men, I discovered a tribe of negroes, who stood about like storks on one leg. The other leg was never used and they carried it bent and drawn taut. These live in a section of the country where there are many pools and ponds of water. In still another part of Africa are negroes whose faces are virtually like the beak of a bird. They inhabit the trees."

TO PILE VICTIMS.

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Embalmed Himself.

A Harrisburg colored man named John Jones, more familiarly known as "Inkum" Jones, has just been successful in drinking himself to death. In a drunken mood he was surrounded by companions and some of them twinned him about being under the influence of the liquor. Then Jones claimed that he could drink more whiskey without getting drunk than any man in Harrisburg, and he made a wager that he could drink forty glasses of whiskey. It is said he drank the forty whiskeys and then took one more to show the crowd that he wasn't under the influence. Next morning he was found unconscious on the street and died twenty-four hours later at the hospital.

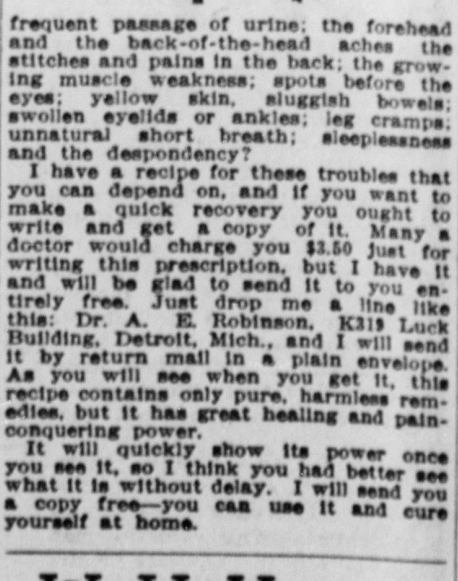
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Boy Gets \$2405 for His Thumb. Harry Booth, who had instituted a suit for damages against the York Haven Paper Company for the loss of his left thumb, was awarded \$2405 by a jury. Of this amount \$845 was given to the youth's father as compensation for the loss of his son's services.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Nannie S. Bush late of Bellefonte boro, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre County, Pennsylvania, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make payment and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated without delay to the undersigned.

S. D. GETTIG, Admr.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Alfred T. Corman late of Miles Township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in the above estate, that the undersigned an auditor appointed distribution in the hands of the accountants to those legally entitled thereto to meet the parties interested at his office in Bellefonte, Pa., on Friday, March 23d, 1912 at 10 o'clock a. m. when and where all parties interested must appear or be forever debarred from any claim on said fund.

WM. C. HEINLE, Auditor.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

In the estate of William B. Gingery late of Worth Township, Centre County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated without delay to the undersigned.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS, BIRCHLIP GINGERY, Executors.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of Margaret Annanna late of Gregg Township, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre County, Pennsylvania, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make payment and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated without delay to the undersigned.

C. E. ROYER, Executor.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

In the estate of John A. Swartz, late of Walker Township, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Centre County, Pennsylvania, all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby requested to make payment and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated without delay to the undersigned.

JOHN W. EBY, Executor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of F. F. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Pa. and in pursuance thereof will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Bellefonte, Pa. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 1912, at 1:30 p. m., the following real estate, to-wit:

All that certain message, tenement and lot of land situated, being and being in the Borough of Philipsburg, Centre County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Laurel and Eighth streets in the plot of said borough, thence along the line of said alley in a north by line of ninety (90) feet more or less to the line of a ten feet wide alley, thence along the line of said alley in a north by line of a distance of ninety (90) feet more or less to a post in line of Eighth street the place of beginning.

thence along said road south 58 degrees west 157.7 rods to a post, thence along lands of Edward Humes south 32 degrees east 197 rods to a post, thence north 58 degrees east 157.7 rods to a post, thence along other lands of Daniel Hastings, deceased, north 32 degrees west 197 rods to the place of beginning, containing 154 acres and 26 perches. Deed for same being recorded in Centre County in Deed Book Vol. 77, at page 208.

Appraised at \$2300.00 No. 2. All the following described message, tenement, lot and parcel of ground situate in the village of Hubersburg in the township of Walker, Centre County, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the east by public road leading from Zion to Nittany, on the east by lands of George Swartz, on the south by lands of said Divens Estate, and on the west by lands of Adam Swartz, on which is erected a frame dwelling house. Deed for same recorded in Centre County in Deed Book Vol. 72, at page 95 etc.

All that certain lot or tract of land situate in the town of Hubersburg, bounded on the north by street, and on the east by lot of Mrs. Devins, and on the south by Mrs. Devins, on the west by John Devins, deceased, whereon is erected a two-story dwelling house, stable and other out-buildings, and known in the town plot as lot No. 12, recorded in Centre County in Deed Book Vol. 66, page 48.

The above two parcels separately described in No. 2, constitute one continuous property. Appraised at \$1100.00 The above appraisement has been confirmed Nisi by the Court, and publication ordered for a period of thirty days, and if no exceptions be filed thereto, within thirty days, the same will be confirmed absolutely by the Court. J. FRANK SMITH, Register and Clerk of Orphans' Court of Centre Co. x15

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