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Table with columns: DISTRICT, NAME, POSTOFFICE. Lists names and addresses for various districts like Bellefonte, Centre Hall, etc.

ELECTION POSSIBILITIES.

The editor of the "North American Review" has written a very interesting article on the possibilities of the Presidential campaign, and what might happen in certain contingencies.

The magazine editor is quite sure of two things: That Roosevelt cannot be elected and that Taft cannot win. He is not so sure that Wilson will have a majority in the Electoral College.

His conclusion is: "Wilson will probably be elected. If he carries New York he cannot be beaten. Neither Taft nor Roosevelt can win. A vote for Taft is a vote for Sherman. A vote for Roosevelt is a vote for Sherman. A vote or Wilson is a vote for Wilson."

If you want to embarrass Cephas Gramley ask him the plain, straight question whether he will vote for Taft or Roosevelt. He might just as well tell what he is going to do.

The Editor of the North American Review says: Roosevelt can not be elected and Taft is out of the question. He feels sure that Wilson can win. That is the feeling that is down in the boots of every independent thinking man you can meet.

Patton will support Taft, but wants the Bull Moose people to support him in this district. Might just as well vote for Jim Gleason who will be able to represent the district and be of some use to the people.

Some lively times are anticipated when the U. S. Senate's special investigation committee begins work this month inquiring into the char-

acter of the contributions to the former presidential campaigns. Penrose is all besmirched with Standard Oil grease, and some others are liable to become involved. If any Democrats have been getting grease from the Standard Oil Company let the facts be known.

Possibly the largest attendance ever seen at the Williams grove picnic was on Thursday last week when Woodrow Wilson appeared there and addressed the farmers. The auditorium could not accommodate one-fourth of those who scrambled to gain an entrance and he found it necessary to speak from different points of the grounds to satisfy the great throng.

For weeks there has been a running controversy between Roosevelt, Penrose and the Standard Oil Company over the amounts of money that were spent in former campaigns, and who got it. The whole affair is a scandal on the official life of the nation, and plainly shows that giver and receiver are not worthy of public confidence.

James Gleason, the hustling young attorney of Clearfield, who is a candidate for congress in this district, was here the past week greeting friends and attending a few gatherings. He reports things looking exceedingly bright in his county for his candidacy, and reports that the endorsement of Patton by a handful of politicians as the Bull Moose nominee, will not carry much weight.

Next week the farmers and their friends will be at Grange Park, Centre Hall. Owing to the small local ticket to be elected this year, there will not be as much handshaking as on former occasions. This year there will be no political days set aside for the reason that the management refused the usual courtesy to the Democrats, and we imagine that there was not enough enthusiasm among the Republicans to ask for a day. Herebefore the Republicans invariably had the best day of the week, and the Democrats had to take what was left.

FEW HEAR THE MOOSE CALL.

Twenty-nine at Meeting That Indorses Congressional Nominees. At a meeting called last night by Oscar Mitchell, a Roosevelt elector on the Taft ticket and a candidate for Judge in Clearfield county in 1913, but 29 men responded.

The fact that only 29 Roosevelt men turned out and that the meeting was held in a law office, gives some idea of the popularity of the indorsement.

PENROSE SILENT.

Over two weeks ago the North American directly branded Senator Penrose as a "briber," and up to this time he has not made an effort to defend his honor. Is he guilty? Here is the unanswered charge as it appeared in that paper:

"The stain of corruption money is on your hands; the mark of corporate bribery is on your forehead, and your attempt to divert the finger of scorn and accusation from you by slander of me will be unsuccessful. You have more to answer to the nation for than the Standard Oil bribes that passed into your hands. The foundation of your present title to admission to the senate is as black with moral and legal guilt as Lorimer's. If an authorized tribunal of the senate will hear the testimony the North American will produce the evidence that you are a briber and a corruptionist and that you hold your seat by support bought with money. If you are a man—an ordinary man with red blood in your veins—you will ask the senate to investigate this direct and unequivocal charge."

Should Senator Penrose ignore this direct charge the public will be justified in drawing its own conclusion as to his guilt. No man filling the responsible position of a United States Senator from this state can afford to let the charge of bribery go unrebuked.

INSEPARABLE.



-From New York World.

MR ROOSEVELT STILL SILENT.

- 1. How much has the Beet Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 2. How much has the Paper Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 3. How much has the Coal Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 4. How much has the Sugar Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 5. How much has the Oil Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 6. How much has the Tobacco Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 7. How much has the Steel Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 8. How much has the Insurance Trust contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 9. How much have the national banks contributed to Mr. Cortelyou? 10. How much have the six great railroad trusts contributed to Mr. Cortelyou?

The insurance investigation showed that the Insurance Trust contributed \$150,000 to the Roosevelt campaign fund. The Archibald testimony showed that the Standard Oil Trust contributed \$100,000 to the Roosevelt campaign fund.

FROM AN ILLINOIS SUBSCRIBER.

Dear Editor: Tampico, Ill., Sept. 2. This beautiful evening I will endeavor to write a few lines to your paper. I can gladly say that the six boys of us from Howard, Centre county, who are out here, are all in perfect health and enjoying life immensely.

UNDERWENT DELICATE OPERATION.

Mrs. Fred Yocum, of Buffalo Run, who for the past fifteen years has been a sufferer from a complication of ailments, one of which was chronic appendicitis, underwent a delicate operation at the hands of Dr. F. P. Ball in the Lock Haven hospital on Thursday of last week.

HANNAH.

Mrs. J. C. Marks has returned home after spending a week in Julian with her sisters-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Pink and Mrs. C. T. Marks.

STORMSTOWN.

Well! Oh! We should have nice fair weather as Fair week is here. Mrs. G. B. Gummo took a little trip to Pine Grove to S. A. Dunlap's and to State College to see friends and relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Boose Poorman, of Jersey Shore, spent Sunday with friends after spending Saturday at the Poorman reunion. Miss Bertha Hancock, of Phillipsburg, was a pleasant visitor in our burg the past week. Miss Hancock is a fine little girl and is always welcome. Rev. George Colledge is spending a few days at this place. Ed Williams, of South Williamsport, was a Sunday visitor among relatives. Miss Minnie Walker returned home Saturday from Bellwood where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. U. S. Flick, for the past four weeks. Ed Hancock and John Furl were business callers in our town; also Thomas Griffin and daughter, Daisy, all of Phillipsburg. Miss Lucy Smoyer was a business caller to the county seat Saturday. A large number of our people attended the Poorman reunion at Milesburg Saturday, and report the best one they have ever attended.

SALE REGISTER. SATURDAY, SEPT. 21.—At West Rebersburg, C. M. Bierly and S. A. Bierly, executors, will sell: 3 horses, 3 good cows, 1 hog, 4 shoats, wagons and other vehicles, and full line of farming implements; also some household goods. Sale at 10 a. m. Wise & Hubler, auctioneers. SATURDAY, SEPT. 28.—On Nittany Mountain, about 2 1/2 miles from Pleasant Gap, John Houser will sell: 1 horse, cow, 2 wagons, buggy, harness, sleigh, and large line of household goods.



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