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EDITORIAL

Penrose is becoming a reformer. name as Taggart in Indiana. He knows what happened to Aldrichs, Foraker, Cannon, Bailey and other corporation tools.

At last the suffragettes will be happy, as the authorities at Washington have granted them the privilege of parading on the day prior to the inauguration.

The six-year term of office for presidents is a solar plexis for Teddy. That is one thing that he accomplished. The danger of having him for a third term was so alarming that there was a disposition to put an end to any more of that funny business.

When the state of Pennsylvania owns and publishes its own text books it will be taking an advanced step. The present system is rotten from top to bottom.

When the United States Senate put itself on record as favoring a six-year term for presidents, and no more, they voiced a popular sentiment, only they should have gone a step farther by abolishing the useless electoral college.

BRYAN AS SECRETARY OF STATE

In no country on earth, except this one, would any considerable number of persons take the position that a man who had three times been a leading candidate for the office of supreme executive head of the nation, and who had polled more votes than any other candidate of his party in 100 years, was incompetent to hold a subordinate post in another man's administration.

Under all the circumstances, Mr. Wilson probably does not want to get away from Mr. Bryan. He prefers to get away with him. For this reason: Mr. Bryan, whatever antipathies he has aroused in the past 20 years, can bring to the Wilson administration more devoted, thick-and-thin support from the masses of the people back in the Eastern small towns, the Appalachian hills, over the prairies of the Middle West, and still westward to the Pacific slope, than any other Democrat living on earth.

Two Majority in Senate. Through recent elections in the several States where vacancies in United States Senatorships existed, the public attention in all the highways and byways of the land, no one should underrate the political fighting power of the combination of Wilson and Bryan, so long as the combination can hold together.

Politically speaking, there is a profound strategic significance in this combination which the country has hardly begun to appreciate. Whether deliberately or not, Mr. Wilson is already campaigning for the political scalp of Theodore Roosevelt. If, in combination with Bryan, he holds his party together through the prestige of political success, nothing can prevent the continuance of the Democratic party in power.

The March of Progress. All passenger and freight trains on the Pennsylvania will be equipped with telephones which can be connected to the overhead wires by means of poles on the end of which are hooks and studs. Connection is made through the poles by means of wires. The telephone without the poles is enclosed in an oblong case with a handle and can be readily carried to any spot.

Dr. King's New Discovery. Soothes irritated throat and lungs, stops chronic and hacking cough, relieves tickling throat, taster. Take no other; once used, always used. Buy it at C. M. Parrish, druggist, Bellefonte, Pa.—Adv.

be no serious failure provided he seeks expert advisers. Mr. Bryan, too, has one undeniable qualification. He has personally visited nearly all the South and Central American countries and he has the confidence of the Latin-American peoples.

Men who have been greatly snored at and of whom little is expected sometimes do great things. Men who have been long denounced as incompetent occasionally surprise people because they do so well.

FOCHT NAMES DEMOCRAT

Republican Congressman Plays Politics With Lewistown Office. The Pennsylvania congressional delegation, especially the Republican end of it, is chucking over the way Congressman Ben K. Focht, of the Seventeenth Pennsylvania district, has "put one over" on Congressman-elect Dersham in selecting and having placed before the Senate for confirmation the name of Capt. James McCoy, Democrat, for the vacant position of postmaster of Lewistown, in Millin county.

The present incumbent, William F. Egbert, whose term does not expire for a while, has resigned for substantial business reasons, and as there was thereby a vacancy to be filled, lots of folks, the congressman-elect, and Democratic County Chairman Orr among them, sat back thinking that Ben Focht, even if he named a man for the job, would most assuredly nominate a solid Republican, whom it would give the biggest sort of pleasure to Mr. Dersham to put the clamps on, whenever he became a full-fledged member of the House of Representatives.

The political twins forgot that Uncle Ben is an old newspaperman, who is not dropping and dropping and dropping that sort. He hustled to the white house and induced President Taft to recognize the eternal fitness of things by accepting Focht's nomination of Captain James McCoy, a young Democrat, and rushing it to the Senate among the very first batch of presidential postmaster nominations.

On Saturday evening, February 1st, a quiet but very pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sommerville Potter, on East Curtin street, the happy parties to this nuptial event being Thomas B. Beaver, youngest son of General and Mrs. James A. Beaver, of Bellefonte, and Miss Millicent Prince, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Prince, of Crafton, Pa.

A NEW PLAN

Wants the Legislature to Buy Books for School Children. Representative A. S. Moulthrop, of Clearfield, will shortly present to the legislature a brand new idea. He believes that the state should purchase and furnish all the text books for its school children, but that the state should print them, as well. With that idea in view he will introduce a bill which he is now preparing, providing for such a change in the present system.

Mr. Moulthrop's idea is two-fold. First, he believes such an act would do away with the disgraceful scandals which bob up now and then over the purchase of text books by school boards, and second, it would make uniform the school books used throughout the state.

His bill will provide that the state should buy the copyrighted text books advocated by the State Board of Education or a commission to be named by the governor and composed of prominent state educators.

There will also be a provision that in the event that it will be impossible to purchase the copyrighted or desired text book for a reasonable sum such books may still be purchased direct from the publishers. The buying however, would be done by the Board of Education or the commission and not by the individual school boards.

Educators who are interested in seeing the Moulthrop bill claim that such a plan would save the State about \$1,500,000 the first year and large sums every year.

Under the present system there is no uniformity regarding the use of text books and favorite contractors in many districts sell books that are not used in any other district and get big profits for them.

There is a movement on foot to have uniform text books adopted for each grade and to have a uniform system of examinations throughout the State, similar to that in vogue in New York State, so that a child moving from one district to another will not be compelled to lose from one to two years.

Three States are deadlocked at the present time on the question of selection of Senators to fill vacancies. These are Illinois where two Senators are to be elected; West Virginia and New Hampshire, one each. The Legislatures in each of these States are Republican, but so-called progressive Republicans hold the balance of power and have prevented the choice of a Republican candidate.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure Economizes Butter, Flour, Eggs; makes the food more appetizing and wholesome The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

MARRIAGES

Hale—McDonald. William Hale and Miss Ida McDonald, both of Julian, were united in marriage by Squire Musser at his office in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Mayer—Heberling. Edward W. Mayer and Miss Nancy Heberling, both of Marengo, were married by Rev. M. J. Runyan, at Stormtown on Wednesday evening, January 22.

James—McClellan. On Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock Mr. George H. James, of Tyrone, and Miss Louise McClellan, of Bellefonte, proceeded to the Methodist parsonage on East Linn street, where they were united in holy bonds of wedlock by the Rev. E. H. Youm, pastor of the Methodist church. There were no attendants and immediately after the ceremony they repaired to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClellan, of North Spring street, and rushing it to the Senate among the very first batch of presidential postmaster nominations.

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The Only Way. Under the parcel post rules, the only way apparently that a postmaster can dispose of a bottle of whiskey found in the mail is to drink it. He is forbidden to deliver it, destroy it, or keep it in the office, and as intoxicating liquors cannot be sent through the post, he cannot forward it to the dead letter office. Therefore, there is only one way out of the dilemma.

Will Not Attend Inauguration. According to the orders issued by National Guard officers, designating the Pennsylvania troops who will parade at the inauguration ceremonies at Washington on March 4, it is seen that no Twelfth regiment companies were selected. This is the regiment to which Company L of Bellefonte belongs.

Will Butcher at Loganton. H. E. Boob has sold his property in Loganton to Clarence Brungard, of Rowersburg, who will take possession in a few days and continue the butchering business, which Mr. Boob has given up to start in the grocery business.

No girl really loves a man without feeling an irresistible impulse to boss him around.

The Reformed congregation of Jacksonville will have foreign mission service, Sunday, February 9th, at 10:30 a. m.; Rev. Zechman, of Howard, will officiate at the service. All are cordially invited to be present.

The birds and animals that once filled our forests, but which are rapidly diminishing before the onslaught of men and boys were men's best helpers against the ravages of the worms and bugs and other foes of the growing crops. To the extent of their ability they are still working for the race that foolishly seeks to exterminate them.

It is said the government will not go after the champagne trust because they know it would be a fizzle, nor the soda water fountain because they know what they are charged with. All trusts, they say, are bad. Take the growing crops, that's crooked, and people say the government should go after the money power. That's easy, for everybody's doing it. When Morgan raises the price of riding on railroads we call it fare, and when Rockefeller raises the price of oil, we make light of it.

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ELK FOR GAME PRESERVES

Consignments Arrive at Renovo and Clearfield. The consignments of 24 elk, assigned by the state game commission to the state game preserves at the head of the swamp branch of Big run, near the state camp on the south side mountains, arrived at the P. R. R. freight station at Renovo last week. The animals are all young, and appear to be in fine condition, after their long journey from the Yellowstone National park, Wyoming, and seem to be as contented as animals well could be. Many regrets were expressed by visitors to the car, especially by the ladies, that such pretty creatures should be eventually destined for the butcherman's gun. But this particular herd of elk is the protegee of the state government and will be protected against being killed by hunters for six years, for which protection the state legislature will be asked to pass an act.

The elk were kept in the car last week, where they were placed in crates and hauled in wagons over the south side mountains to the state lands. Here one acre of ground has been enclosed with an eight foot fence where the elk will be kept until spring, when they will be liberated. The herd consists of 10 bulls and 40 cows. Forty-five of the animals are only eight months old, while the remaining five are 20 months old.

The elk are given free by the government to any state that will feed and care for them on the public domain, but will not give the animals to private individuals.

The only expense to Pennsylvania for these shipments of the king of the deer family is their capture, freight and feed.

The freight on the two cars was \$4,000 and their capture cost \$10 each, making the cost of each animal \$50.

A car load of 25 elk arrived in Clearfield county to be released in the state game preserve, being a portion of the herd that Pennsylvania is selling to stock forests with the kings of the deer family.

There are five bucks and 20 does in the herd and each was selected with care by an expert, in order that the strain will be of the best and healthiest as it grows.

Chicken Pie by Parcel Post

Chicken potpie was sent by parcel post between Lebanon and Fredericksburg on Saturday. It was mailed steaming hot in a two-quart jar securely packed in a box and surrounded by sawdust. The package was mailed there at noon and arrived at Fredericksburg at 2:30, the contents being hot enough to eat.

Don't Neglect a Cough

Simple and harmless as it may seem to be, a neglected cough frequently leads to something infinitely more serious.

Recall Cherry Bark Cough Syrup is the first thing that scores of people in this community think of as soon as they begin to cough. They have found it the best thing for this purpose they have ever used, and they will tell you that it has given them relief where nothing else would. It assists in checking the violent spasms of the bronchial tubes that take place in coughing, and helps soothe the inflamed membranes by putting the affected organs in a state of rest.

Recall Cherry Bark Cough Syrup may be taken with every assurance of safety by both children and adults, and it is exceedingly pleasant to the taste. If it does not relieve your cough and satisfy you in every way—your money back 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. Sold in this community only at our store—

Set it at Green's The General Store Going to Cough all Spring? Of course you don't want to—but let a cold gain the least headway, and you are holding out a good invitation for a long aggravated period of coughing, sneezing and all the other disagreeable troubles that go with a cold. The best way to stop a cough is to have on hand a ready help. Get a box of KRUMRINE'S COLD TABLETS This changeable weather is threatening to health, and for that aggravated cold you have now or for the cold which you have just contracted you will find in our Laxative Cold Tablets a thoroughly reliable remedy of greatest merit. Simple and easy to take. Acts in an easy, pleasant way. The best cold cure we can offer you, and at 25c a box you can ill afford to be without them.

ALL THE LEADING Public Sales in Centre Co.

NOTICES OF PUBLIC SALES WILL BE INSERTED IN THIS COLUMN UNTIL DAY OF SALE, FOR \$1.00. Persons who have their Sale Bills printed at "The Centre Democrat" office will receive the \$1.00 notice free; or deducted from the price of bills if previously paid.

FEBRUARY SALES. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11—On the Johnson farm, about 2 m. north of Mt. Eagle—2 mares, 2 milk cows, 2 young cattle, 5 shoats, and farm implements—1 p. m. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13—Wm. E. Phillips 1 m. west of Spring Mills, on the old Joplin farm—5 horses, 6 milk cows, 12 shoats, 2 brood sows, 20 chickens, farm implements and household goods—9:30 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. WEDNESDAY, FEB. 13—Mrs. S. T. King in Millheim, will sell household goods; sale at 1:30. L. F. Roan, Auct. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15—The F. P. Bartley Livery stable equipment, Bellefonte—3 horses, carriages, buggies, sleighs, harness, robes, Ford Touring car, etc.—1 p. m. W. A. Isner, Auct. H. P. Barrow, Assignee. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18—Ammon Gramley, near Coleville 8 work horses, span of mules, 8 milk cows, 30 hogs and farm implements—10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25—W. E. Shaffer, near Stone Mill, in Potter twp.—4 work horses, 5 milk cows, heifer, 2 head young cattle, calf, brood sow, 5 shoats and farm implements—10 a. m. Harry Grove, Auct.

MARCH SALES. TUESDAY, MARCH 4—J. F. Lohr, 2 m. west of Fillmore—4 horses, 5 cows, 4 young cattle, 11 sheep, 10 hogs and farm implements—10 a. m. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5—Frank Swartz, 4 m. west of Madisonburg—live stock, farm implements and household goods. Wise and Hubler, Auct. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5—John and J. H. King, in Millheim, will sell household goods—9 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. THURSDAY, MARCH 6—E. J. Scholl, on the Glen farm, 2 m. west of Fillmore—4 horses, 10 milk cows, 20 hogs, brood sows, 20 chickens, farm implements and household goods—10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. THURSDAY, MARCH 6—G. S. Fisher, at Millersburg—4 milk cows, 4 heifers, bull, 11 cattle, farm implements and household goods—9 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. SATURDAY, MARCH 8—Daniel Kline, at Roseburg, 1 m. west of Bellefonte, on the Brockerhoff farm—4 work horses, 2 milk cows, bull, 10 young cattle, 6 to 10, 50 chickens, farm implements and household goods—10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. SATURDAY, MARCH 8—Charles Johnston, 4 m. east of Blanchburg, on the Clark farm—5 stock and implements—12 m. sharp. A. C. McClellan, Auct. MONDAY, MARCH 10—L. W. Dorman, near Jacksonville—4 work horses, 2 milk cows, 20 sheep, 4 brood sows, 20 chickens, brood sow, 9 sheep, chickens and farm implements—9 a. m. A. C. McClellan, Auct. TUESDAY, MARCH 11—Chas. W. Snyder, near Hill Bank in Spring twp.—fayr stock and implements—10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. TUESDAY, MARCH 11—Wm. H. Wells, Bush Hollow in Union twp.—3 cows, 2 heifer, brood sow with pigs, farm implements and household goods—1 p. m. S. K. Emerick, Auct. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12—Fred Nahr, near L. F. Mayer, Auct. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12—J. M. Harter, at Waddle station, Patton twp.—7 horses, 5 cows, 12 young cattle, 3 bulls, 25 hogs, farm implements and household goods—10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12—W. C. Miller, on the Peter Mendis farm, in Marion twp.—farm stock and implements. WISE AND HUBLER, AUCTIONEERS. THURSDAY, MARCH 13—Mrs. Amanda M. Bailey, 3 m. east of Spring Mills—live stock and farm implements. Wise and Hubler, Auct. THURSDAY, MARCH 13—B. M. Stover, about 5 m. west of Bellefonte, on the penitentiary site—farm stock and implements. L. F. Mayer, Auct. THURSDAY, MAR. 13—Charles King, 3 m. south of Hubersburg, on the William Decker farm; 4 horses, 1 young ling colt, 6 milk cows, 5 young cattle and farm implements. Wise and Hubler, Auct. A. C. McClellan, Auct. FRIDAY, MARCH 14—S. K. Emerick, near Flemington—2 horses, colt, 3 milk cows, 2 heifers, 2 calves, 2 shoats, grain and feed and farm implements—12 m. FRIDAY, MARCH 14—A. R. Lee, 1 m. west of Roseburg—4 horses, rearing colt, 6 cows, 6 young cattle, 2 brood sows and pigs and farm implements—10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. FRIDAY, MARCH 14—D. E. Haney 2 m. north of Pa. Furnace, on the White Hall road—9 head of horses and colts, 10 milk cows, 17 young cattle, 20 ewes, 2 brood sows, 9 shoats, farm implements and household goods—10 a. m. G. G. Waite, Auct. FRIDAY, MARCH 14—Ervin Ruhl, 2 m. west of Tyroneville—3 horses, 15 head of cattle, 20 head of farm implements and household goods—9:30 a. m. Wise and Hubler, Auct. SATURDAY, MARCH 15—John A. Haagen, 5 m. north of Hubersburg, on the Charles King farm, bull and farm implements—10 a. m. A. C. McClellan, Auct. SATURDAY, MARCH 15—Jacob N. Royer, Madisonburg—horse, 3 milk cows, 2 heifers, bull, farm implements and household goods—12:30 p. m. MONDAY, MARCH 17—F. S. Plaburn 1 m. northwest of Lemont, at Houerville—2 work horses, 2 yearling colts, 5 cows, 4 heifers, 20 brood sows, 15 shoats, chickens, farm implements and household goods—10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auct. TUESDAY, MARCH 18—Kidder & Raymond, 2 m. east of Housburg, on the Dr. Kidder farm—7 work horses, 2 colts, 7 milk cows, 2 young cattle, bull, 2 brood sows and shoats, chickens, 21 ewes, buck, and farm implements—10 A. M. L. F. Mayer, Auct.

Auctioneers. S. K. Emerick, Flemington. Harry F. Grove, Lemont. Wm. A. Isler, Bellefonte. Chas. A. Isenberg, Bellefonte. A. C. McClellan, Nittany. L. Frank Mayer, Lemont. H. H. Miller, Bellefonte. J. I. Reed, Pine Grove Mills. S. H. Lohr, Clarence. L. F. Roan, Lemont. Hayes Schenck, Howard. G. C. Waite, Tyrone. David W. White, Bellefonte. J. H. M. Stover, Bellefonte. J. T. Jordan, Colyer. S. H. Hoy, Bellefonte. H. E. Schreckengast, Spring Mills. R. 3. Wise and Hubler, Rebersburg. W. T. Boal, Bellefonte. James C. Derr, Bellefonte.

Tues, Feb. 18: A. Gramley at Coleville, 3/4 mile from Bellefonte will sell: LIVE STOCK—Black horse, 9 yrs old, wt. 1500; Roan mare, 11 yrs old, wt. 1200; black mare, 5 yrs old, wt. 1200—both mares are single line leaders; bay colt, 3 yrs old, will mature 1800; steel gray horse, 3 years old, will mature 1600; bay horse, 7 years old, wt. 1200; Roan colt, 2 yrs old, will mature 1800; 2 yrs old, will mature 1800; 2 Alderleys, balance are mixed; 25 heifers fresh in March, 2 young bulls, 2 full blooded short-horn bulls, 2 full blooded Chester-white brood sows, with pigs at time of sale; full blooded Duroc boar, 25 shoats will weigh from 50 to 100 pounds each. Also 50 chickens Rhode Island Reds and White Wyandottes. FARM IMPLEMENTS—Deering mower, new Osborne mower, Deering hay rake, Deering hay tedder, new Harpoon hayfork with rope and tackle, Corn King manure spreader, new Sharpies cream separator, new Rebersburg weeder, 3 spring barrows, 2 60-tooth spike harrows—one new, Centre Hall doubler corn planter, 2 horse wagons—one a Conklin with 4:24-truss axle, platform 2-seated spring wagon, 2-seated cutter in good condition, new Oliver Siskey plow, 2 new Millheim plows, steelbeam Syracuse plow, new sidehill plow, lot of corn and potatoes by the bushel, cider barrels, set mule gears, heavy lumbermen's tug harness, breeching, hongs, 35-ft. extension ladder, and many other articles too numerous to mention. HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Kitchen cupboard, salting table, flour chest, 3 bed steers, 5 cane-bottom chairs, lounge, cork stove, heater. No. 4 wood stove, and other articles. Sale at 10 a. m. L. F. Mayer, Auctioneer.

SPECIAL SALE FOR SATURDAY, FEB. 8th 10c DRESS GINGHAM 6c For Saturday, February 8th, Only. Workman's Bargain Store, Krumrine's Drug Store, BELLEFONTE, PENNA.