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WEATHER YESTERDAY.

Local data for Jan. 4, 1991: Lowest temperature 7 degrees 8 a. m. 100 per cent. 8 p. m. 50 per cent,

Notice to the Business Public.

Inasmuch as a non-resident of the city of Scranton is about to undertake the publication of a Scranton city directory, and will naturally carry the profits out of town;

And, as the business public of the city of Scranton must necessarily support a directory by giving it advertising patronage, to a greater or less degree, paying a profit upon the same to whoever will undertake its publica-

And, as the said business public are Scranton, I will this year publish a very complete directory of the city. and give the entire net proceeds or profits of said directory to be distributed among charitable institutions of the city of Scranton.

Such being the case, you are respectfully asked to reserve your subscription and advertisements for this year's directory, until called upon for same by myself or representative.

Trusting that you will give this matdue attention, and encourage it with such patronage as will warrant the project being repeated from year to year in the same manner, and for the same purpose.

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Why not commence the first of the year by renting a box in the vaults of the Lackawanna Trust and Safe Deposit company, so that your valuable papers, etc., may be safely kept, and the darker from either fire or burglary obviated. Safe Deposit Baxes from \$5 per year, up.

Change of Location.

The Hunt & Connell Co. has removed its offices to 306 Connell building, where all debts of the company will be paid and all accounts due the company will be received.

C. W. Fulton, Treasurer.

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MOVING DAY

MONDAY'S CHANGES II COURT HOUSE OFFICES

Not All of the New Deputies and Clerks Are as Yet Announced. Dispute as to Whether or Not the Officials Should Be Paid in Salaries or Fees Is to Be Settled by a Case Stated in Which the New District Attorney Will Take the Initiative. Men Who Will Remain.

Monday will be moving day in the county court house. At high noon, the retiring officials will vacate their offices, together with their forces of deputies and clerks, to be succeeded by the new incumbents elected last November, and those whom they will take in with them to help in the mangement of the county's affairs.

It is still speculative in a large num ber of instances as to who the new deputies and clerks will be, owing to the unwillingness of the chiefs to announce them before Monday, or the even better reason that they have not as yet fully decided whom they will appoint.

Sheriff-elect Charles H. Schadt de clares that no one knows, and that rot until Monday will anyone know whom he has selected as his assist-Rumor has it that Chief Deputy Frank E. Ryan and Deputy J. D. Ferber will continue in their present positions and that Victor Burschell, burgess of Dunmore, will be one of the new keepers at the county jail, but this is not confirmed by Mr. Schadt. The knowing ones, however, say that these three appointments can be banked upon as certainties.

Recorder-elect Emil Bonn has contented himself with announcing one appointment. Miss Hattie Taylor, who was chief deputy in the office for many years and who was removed by Recorder Warnke, is to be reinstated as chief deputy. It is given out from a reliable source that William Mc-Andrew, of the Fourth ward, and Reese Lewis, of Bellevue Heights, who is now substituting for Mr. Bonn in the office of the clerk of the courts, will also be among those who will have berths in the recorder's office.

TREASURER'S OFFICE.

Hon. J. A. Scranton, who will succeed M. J. Kelly as county treasurer, will not make the appointment of a deputy at present. David E. Jones, of Taylor, will assist Mr. Scranton in the conduct of the office until such time as a deputy is selected.

It is understood that John Morris is the likely appointee. He is a candidate for the gubernatorial appointment of county controller, and as one is made inelligible for the controllership by having within two years served as a county official or deputy, he does not wish to accept the position of deputy treasurer until he is refused the more lucrative one of controller. This, however, is not authen-

Clerk of the courts Thomas P. Danels, who succeeds himself, will retain the services of C. J. Mirtz and Elner Daniels, of his present force, and fill in the vacancy caused by Deputy Bonn's election to be recorder, by apcointing permanently to a clerkship, John W. Benjamin, who has been in the office for several months under temporary appointment.

As announced in yesterday's Tribune, District Attorney-elect W. R. Lewis has selected Louis Gramer as one of his two assistants, and William Phillips as county detective, to succeed Thomas Leyshon. The other assistant will be announced later. Prothonotary John Copeland and Register William Koch, jr., who suc-

ceed themselves will make no changes in their respective office forces. John F. Cummings, who has been in the prothonotary's office nearly ten years. will continue as chief deputy. assistants are Thomas A. Beck and John R. Williams.

KOEHLER WILL CONTINUE.

Henry T. Koehler, the present deputy register, will continue in that position and be the active manager of the affairs of the office as he has been for thirteen years. When the county government is reorganized, if it is during Mr. Koch's term, he will be called upon to appoint an assistant to Mr. Koehler to look after the marriage licenses and orphans' court business, which with the appointment of orphans' court judge is transferred from the clerk of the court's office to that of the register.

Judge John P. Kelly's term as an appointee of the governor will end, and his ten-year elective term begin at

high noon. The question of whether the county officials are to be remunerated in fees or salary is to be settled in a case stated to be instituted by District Attorney Lewis. For the first business he transacts he will make demand for naturally called upon to support the the fee which at present is paid for charitable institutions of the city of the service, whatever it may be, and upon the county commissioners' formal refusal to pay it, the matter will be submitted for adjudication in the

shape of a case stated. The county commissioners and the register of wills are the only county officials who want the salary system to obtain. The former propose to have their clerk draw orders in their favor for increased salary. If any one objects to it and can have the objection sustained they will be satisfied to get along with the present salary.

REGISTER WILL NOT OBJECT.

The register will make no serious objection if the fee system is continued for the appointment of an orphans court judge is practically assured and as this will mean an increase in his office fees equivalent to or even greater than the new salary would b feels that he can afford to stand by and let those who favor the fee system go and make their fight without any oppositon from him.

The new district attorney's first duty will be the prosecution of the cases that are to be heard by next week's grand jury. He is now at work on the adictments, in the capacity of assistant to District Attorney Jones and will be ready to start in upon his new duties the moment he is sworn in.

An innovation he proposes to introluce will save the county thousands of dollars in witness fees. He will advertise the cases to be heard, just as is now done with the trial lists, assigning the different cases to the different days, alphabetically. For instance the cases in which the names of prose cutors begin with A, B, C or D, will be heard on Monday; E, F, G or H, on Tuesday; police cases on Wednesday, and so on. It was Mr. Lewis' intention

to inaugurate this innovation today, but the delay of the justices of the SHORT SHRIFT peace and aldermen in sending in transcripts makes it impossible. He proposes to insist on the rule that all transcripts must be in hand four days prior to the setting of the grand jury. The district attorney's offices and the grand jury room are being painted and decorated. Mr. Jones has moved his belongings to the Connell building. where he has secured offices, to resume the general practice of his pro-

CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE.

Those Who Are Seeking Election to Board of Revision and Appeal. Unless a special meeting of the select council s called there can be no election held before two weeks to fill the vacancies in the board of revision and appeal caused by the resignations of ex-Councilman David H. Reese, Morris V. Morris and Simon Thomas.

By some mischance the select council failed to accept the resignations, though the common council acted upon them. It was entirely an oversight, as the general impression seemed to pre-vail at the close of the meeting that they had been accepted. The select branch does not meet again for two weeks, and it is not thought that any effort will be made before that time to hold a special meeting. The elecion will have to take place at a joint neeting of both branches of councils.

There are a number of candidates aleady in the field, including Edwin G. Hughes, O. B. Wright and David M. Owens. The usual number of councilmanic candidates may also be expected o be heard from, though a strong sentiment against the election of councilmen is developing. Some members of the council, includ-

ng Select Councilman Chittenden are

in favor of not electing any successors

to those who have resigned, for the reason that the second class city law entirely does away with board of revision and appeal. Under the second class city act the board of five assessors is given the power of revising and equalizing the assessment by either reducing or increasing the valuation and are directed

to fix such days for the hearing of ap-

SPECIAL SERVICE IN **GREEN RIDGE CHURCH**

peals as they may see fit.

Pastors of All Denominations Wish Rev. W. J. Ford and Members of His Congregation Success.

The inter-denominational rally in onnection with the dedication of the Green Ridge Baptist church, was held last evening and was the last of a series of delightful services held durng the week. The beautiful new church was filled.

Seated on the platform with the pastor, Rev. W. J. Ford, were: Rev. F. S. Ballentine, of Christ's church; Rev. J. W. Messsenger, of the United Evangelical church; Rev. F. R. Bateman, of the Church of the Good Shepherd; Rev. I. J. Lansing, of the Green Ridge Presbyterian church, and Rev. W. G. Simpson, of the Asbury Metholist Episcopal church. The services opened with singing. After a prayer by Dr. Lansing, Rev. Mr. Ford introduced Rev. F. S. Ballentine, who in point of service was the oldest Green

Ridge pastor present. Rev. Mr. Ballentine reviewed his own labors and experiences. When he came to Green Ridge tuirteen years ago, there was not then nor for some years after, any organization of Baptists. He congratulated Mr. Ford and his people upon the splendid work they had done and the beautiful church home they possessed.

Rev. Mr. Ballentine was followed by Rev. J. W. Messenger, who spoke briefly of the growth of the congregation from a handful of people, who first met in a store-room on Green Ridge street, to the present, and ended by wishing them continued success. Rev. Mr. Bateman, who followed, spoke encouragingly of the small debt remaining on the church. He spoke of

the different denominations; but all worship the same Christ and by the blood of Jesus the sins of all are Dr. I. J. Lansing fellowed Rev. Mc.

Bateman with a stirring address of congratulation and encouragement. He urged the Christian people to face the work of suppressing the evils that abound at the present time in this

Dr. Simpson was the last speaker. He had watched the building of the new church from the laying of the foundation to the laying of the carpet, he said, and was deeply impressed by the spirit of helpfulness and fellowship which exists between the different denominations. He congratulated the Baptists and felt that all should thank God for the way the church had been blessed.

Wrestling Challenge. Eddie O'Donnell challenges any man

in the city to a wrestling match for \$50 a side. Answer in The Tribune. Eddie O'Donnell, 138 Penn avenue.

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FOR TRAITORS

What Quay's Victory in the Senatorial Fight Means in Pennsulvania Politics.

SIGNIFICANT WORDS BY ONE OF THE LEADERS

Deputy Attorney General Fleitz Says the Bottom Is Out of the Insurrection but That the Men Who Have Played Double May Expect Rough Sledding in the Future-Some Idea of the Methods Used by the Recent Professors of Purity Reform-Task of Cleaning Out the Party Traitors Is to Be Taken Up.

"The fight at Harrisburg is over," said Deputy Attorney General Fleitz yesterday, just after his return from the scene of the conflict. Mr. Fleitz was one of the four or five active Quay lieutenants upon whom fell the brunt of the recent struggle, and he was naturally jubilant over the outcome. He added: "Colonel Quay will be elected on the first ballot by Republican votes, and he can have as many of them as he wants. The bottom has dropped completely out of the Flinn-Martin insurrection and members who have been deceived by false claims into violation of party regularity are making frantic efforts to square themselves and get back into line. On this subject it may not be amiss to say that every honest opponent of Colonel Quay; every man who conscientiously opposed him, believing that he was not the proper man for United States senator, and that the public interests of the commonwealth would be promoted by his defeat, will receive from the Republican organization in the politics of the future fair and generous treatment.

"It is recognized that many of our substantial citizens have on conscientious grounds opposed what is known as 'Quayism.' The existence of this sentiment is not overlooked, and while those who have been close to Colonel Quay and acquainted with the falsity of most of the accusations brought against him do not share in this feeling, there is

no disposition on the part of any rec-ognized Republican leader in Pennsylvania to engage in a campaign of retaliation or prescription. SHORT SHRIFT FOR TRAITORS. "On the other hand, for the men who have played traitor during this campaign; the men who have given solemn pledges of party regularity, and then violated those pledges in the most perfidious manner, there is in store the treatment which they have invited. I

wish to be clearly understood in this matter. The honest antagonist is respected. The men who from principle opposed Quay-although we believe that most of the men in this category have been victims of insurgent misrepresentation and false witnessnevertheless are esteemed, and will be at all times welcome in the Republican column without question as to their attitude in the recent controversy. But men of the type of Senator Drury, of Luzerne, and Representative Reynolds, of our own county, who have deliberately violated the most solemn agreements, and betrayed their stalwart constituents in the most shameless and defiant manner and who apparently glory in it, must lie on the bed which they have made. Their influence at Harrisburg during the present session of the legislature will be a

minus quantity. "Another thing. If the developments already made public have left in the mind of any citizen a doubt as to the hypocritical character of the insurgents' reform pretentions; if there is any Republican who still cherishes the delusion that the recent conspiracy to disrupt the Republican organization in this commonwealth had its origin in an honest desire to improve the conditions of political life; in other words, if there be those at a distance from Harrisburg who have not yet gained the practical insight into insurgent methods and purposes enjoyed those who have been on the ground, I advise that a close watch be kept on revelations soon to come. The mercenaries who, by the aid of immense sums of money wrung by false representations from ambitious millionaires seeking public position, or aiming to gratify personal revenge, will be driven absolutely out of the Republican household in every portion of our state. They have not only played traitor to their party, and forfeited all respect from those who believe in regular party politics; but they have also played a gigantic confidence game upon the honest citizens of Pennsyl-

vania. MR. CONNELL'S POSITION: "The attempt of Drury and Reynolds to wriggle out of their dilemma by making unauthorized presentation of the name of Congressman Connell for United States senator should not deceive any friend of Mr. Connell in Northeastern Pennsylvania. I had a talk with Mr. Connell over the longdistance telephone just before leaving Harrisburg, and he branded that action in the most vigorous language as an insult to be resented by every friend of his. Mr. Connell has never sought to tear down the organization of his party. When he wants to be a candidate for a higher office than that which he now holds, he will not commit the custodianship of his candidacy to men who have deliberately broken their word to him but will carry it himself into the caucus of his party and abide by the result of majority

"It is an interesting circumstance that of the sixty or more party workers from Lackawanna county who attended the organization of the legislature this week, only two approved of the perfidy of Representative Reynolds, and these two are men who have been rejected by their own party. and no longer have any claim to its consideration. All the others con-demned Mr. Reynolds' course in the most vigorous manner possible, and did their best to prevent him from making the sacrifice which he has con-summated. Men who have been his associates for years; men who had been the most active and influential among his supporters; in fact, the men

who had made possible his nomination and election tried their best to dissuade him and failed. What influences prevailed to carry Mr. Reynolds into the camp of the party wreckers, and thus practically betray the important legislative interests of his district, I am not prepared to say. But it gives me pleasure to note the fact that his three colleagues stood firm as rocks against temptation without parallel in the history of Pennsylvania politics.

BOODLE IN POLITICS. "I tell you, when a young man goes to Harrisburg without a dollar, and an offer is put before him of a sum of money which in some instances ranged as high as \$25,000, and this for the purpose of inducing him to remain away from a caucus of his party or enter into a fusion arrangement with the enemy, it takes backbone of no unommon dimensions to remain true to his honor and political pledges. The wonder is not that a few men before whom this temptation was placed succumbed, but that more did not fall. I am not speaking at random. The facts in many instances are known, and if any man doubts them it will not be a great while until the doubt will be removed by developments which will reecho throughout the commonwealth. The greatest conspiracy of modern politics has failed, but the task of cleaning out the crooked architects of it remains, and it will be attended to with neatness and despatch.

ANNUAL BANQUET OF PROF. BUCK'S CLASS

Most Delightful Affair Last Night at MacQuhae's Dining Room. New Officers Were _ ected.

The fourth annual meeting and banquet of the large class at the Eim Park Sunday school, taught by Prof. H. D. Buck, was held last night in the basement of the school and later in MacQuhae's dining room, at the corner of Linden street and Wyoming ave-

The affair was a most enjoyable one, and was attended by two-thirds of the total membership of the class, which is nearly 150. In the church, commencing at 8 o'clock, there was given a splendid literary and musical programme. Among those who entertained were Miss Morris, Miss Davis, Miss Strickland and Miss Mills.

At the conclusion of the entertainment the following officers for the ensuing year were chosen: Teacher, H. D. Buck; president, J. H. Kemp; first vice-president, George Ackerly; second vice-president, Miss Dorothea Fischer; third vice-president, Harry T. Thomas; fourth vice-president, Miss Marie Godfrey; secretary, George Haak; treasurer, Miss Minnie Chapman.

The election over, the party went to the dining room, where they sat down to a most bountiful repast. A number of toasts were responded to, including the following: "Thoughts of Two Centuries," H. D. Buck; "Our Last Year," L. B. Carter; "The Twentieth Century Woman," Miss Dorothea Fischer; "The Old Manof 1900," Allan H. Stone; "The Stranger in the Class," H. C. Hubler. H. C. Haak presided as toastmaster and an original poem was read by Miss Rose Riehl. The new president,

Mr. Kemp, also made a brief address Music was furnished by the Lawrence orchestra, Those present were: Professor and Mrs. H. D. Buck, Dr. and Mrs. J. Zachman, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kemp, Mr and Mrs. Genter, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Barton, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Bliss, Dr. and Mrs. Frederica, Dr. and Mrs.

Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Hornbaker, Mr and Mrs. C. N. Cramer. The Mises Marie Godfrey, Minnie Champion. Eugenie Burrit, Anna Siebert, Miss Palmer, Mae Jones, Rose Richl, Dorothea Fischer, Carrie Fischer, Bessle Thomas, Clara Bushnell, Jennie Woolbaugh, Edyth M. Black Margaret Schimpff, Lillian Morris, Eva Heckman, Elizabeth Kemmerer, Ida Hine, Harriet Berry, Grace Hine, Madge Holmes, Jennie Kaufman, Lena Bohle, Martha Smith, Norma Decker Maud Meyers, Jennie Warnock, Alberta Sheffield, Mary Davis, Miss Strickland, Miss Mills, Nellie Perry, Marian Ackerly, Ethel and Rena Me-

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