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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

State. Governor—S. W. PENNYPACKER. Lieutenant Governor—W. M. BROWN. Secretary of Internal Affairs—ISAAC B. BROWN.

County. Congress—WILLIAM CONNELL. Judge—A. VOHRING. Commissioners—JOHN COURIER MORRIS, JOHN PENMAN.

Legislative. First District—JOSEPH OLIVER. Second District—JOHN SCHETTER, JR. Third District—EDWARD JAMES. Fourth District—P. PHILBIN.

The arrest of Mr. Fanning shows that there are more restraints upon the lunatic and his automobile in England than in this country.

The Strike Situation Liar.

THE following review of the anthracite situation, which is given with all seriousness in the Washington Post, seems to indicate pretty clearly that the interviewer has been made the victim of a joker.

"People who live at a distance from the anthracite coal region where the big strike is now in progress, have but little conception of the real conditions of that section," said Mr. R. E. Owsley, a prominent citizen of Scranton, at the Raleigh.

The name of "Mr. Owsley," the "prominent citizen of Scranton," does not appear upon the city directory, and it is doubtful if he has ever been even a transient resident.

Newspaper Changes.

BY THE outside observer the recent changes in newspaper enterprises of Philadelphia, which took place yesterday, must have been regarded with considerable surprise.

The announcement that the ever-reliable Press will hereafter be sold for one cent is no less surprising. Few papers in this state or the country for this matter have been truer to the best ideals of journalism than the Press, which has ever been edited with signal ability and dignity.

Many Cases Passed Upon

NUMBER OF ORDERS AND OPINIONS HANDLED DOWN. Three Judges Made a Big Showing by Their Deliverances from the Bench on Midsummer Court Day.

Our 'War with Germany.'

THE CABLE told us the other day that Berlin was somewhat exercised over a prophecy alleged to have been made by Rear Admiral Taylor, to the effect that the United States could expect a naval war with Germany not later than 1907.

Of course Berlin overestimated both what Admiral Taylor really said and its intrinsic importance. It is no secret that the studious observers of the trend of international movements, especially in naval circles, are agreed that there is more likelihood of a clash between Germany and the United States at some indefinite future time than between the United States and any other foreign country.

The New York Tribune's Washington correspondent explains what was in Admiral Taylor's mind when he made to naval companions the remarks at which Berlin shies.

But, of course, his prophecy is speculative. There is no ill feeling in it. It is akin to the frequent setting of dates when the world is to come to an end. These millennial prognostications, many of them buttressed by plausible show of argument, have each and all missed fire, to the satisfaction of most of us; and there is the same chance with regard to Admiral Taylor's forecast.

Wagner's operas are now receiving advertising in Berlin by the way of litigation. While not endowed with the genius of the late master, Wagner's relatives possess business instincts that will probably make his works perpetually profitable.

The enthusiasm of Pittsburgh papers over the recent scrap at Atlantic City is liable to precipitate Attorney General Knox and District Attorney Young into the welter weight class.

General Jacob Smith has displayed a commendable judgment in refusing to become a tool for sensational papers whose representatives would be pleased to induce him to talk.

Many of the stories of King Edward's continued illness may have been prompted by contemplation of the portraits of His Majesty that are appearing in the rural.

It is probably fortunate that a great ocean separates those who picture the Filipino as an innocent trusting child of nature from the object of their admiration.

Recent intelligence concerning the newspaper publishing business arouses a suspicion that Philadelphia is to furnish a case of the survival of the unfittest.

MANY CASES PASSED UPON

NUMBER OF ORDERS AND OPINIONS HANDLED DOWN.

Three Judges Made a Big Showing by Their Deliverances from the Bench on Midsummer Court Day. School District of Old Forge Township Will Have to Pay a Large Sum of Money to the Township.

Opinions and orders to the number of half a hundred were handed down yesterday, by Judges H. M. Edwards, John P. Kelly and E. C. Newcomb, at the midsummer day session.

PER CURIAM.

Attorney Charles H. Horton was appointed examiner to ascertain the indebtedness of the poor district of Carbonado township. The overseers of the poor, Michael McFadden and Michael P. Kelly, are agreed that there is more likelihood of a clash between Germany and the United States at some indefinite future time than between the United States and any other foreign country.

Charles Jacobs was appointed deputy constable of the Twentieth ward. Will F. Clifford's application for a deputy license was refused.

The report of the viewers was confirmed finally in the matter of the condemnation of the Brown Hollow turnpike. The Aetna Indemnity company, of Hartford, Conn., was given permission to become surety on bonds and the like in the Lackawanna courts.

Judge Edwards overruled the exceptions to the findings of the commissioner appointed to apportion the school district property between Old Forge borough and Old Forge township. The borough must pay the township \$5,821.

The rule to amend the form of action, by changing the same from replevin to trespass, in the case of Daniel Holland against W. S. Bartlett, et al., was discharged.

The rule to strike off the non-suit, in the case of Morris Freedman against Walter Gorman, was discharged. In the case of M. D. Brown & Co. against Mary A. Sweeney, executrix, the rule for a new trial was discharged.

The rule to strike off the non-suit, in the case of Mary Ann Ryan against the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Mutual Aid association was discharged by Judge Edwards.

The rule to strike off the mechanic's lien in the case of M. C. Anstey against John Flanagan, et al., was made absolute.

In the case of David D. Patterson against Elmer W. Jackson, certiorari, the exceptions were dismissed. It was alleged that the summons in the case was not served in time, that is, at least four days before the time set for the hearing.

The rule to show cause why a preliminary injunction should not issue in the case of Peter C. Beers against C. S. Woodruff, et al., was discharged. The suit is a contest for a stretch of culm-filled road-bed of the old Gravity road in Jefferson township.

by their agents, Hitchcock & Lewis, to the landlord, the defendant. Judge Kelly ruled that goods loaned as samples to an agent are exempt from distress, the same as goods consigned to a commission merchant.

The rule for judgment was discharged in the case of T. E. Billings against the Clark's Summit Manufacturing company. In the case of Lee M. Caffery against C. H. Schadt, Judge Kelly ruled that the rule for judgment be made absolute unless a more specific affidavit of defense be filed within ten days.

BY JUDGE NEWCOMB. Judge Newcomb confirmed the findings of Referee C. B. Little in the case of Fleming & O'Hara against the city of Scranton. The plaintiff firm built a sewer in North Scranton. The city consented to pay "only amounts actually collected from the abutting property holders."

The rule to quash the alias summons in the case of Kate Walsh against James Simpson was made absolute, on the ground that the sheriff's return was irregular. In the case of Mary Morgan, administrator, against P. C. Pilger, et al., the rule to show cause why the defendants should not be allowed to file an appeal nunc pro tunc, was discharged.

The rule for a new trial in the case of W. D. Kennedy, et al., against J. E. O'Brien was discharged. The rule for a new trial was discharged in the case of A. D. Dean, trustee, against B. W. Winton, et al., trustees, et al.

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A Familiar Item. He (reading the paper)—There it is at last! I've been looking for that statement for a long time. He—It says that the Chinese used motor vehicles several hundred years before the Christian Era—The Automobile Magazine.

An Unparalleled Opportunity to Secure Advanced Educations Free

Read the Conditions of The Tribune's Great Educational Contest

Table listing various scholarships and their values. Includes categories like 'List of Scholarships Universities', 'Preparatory Schools', and 'Music, Business and Art'.

Those wishing to enter the contest should send in their names at once. All questions concerning the plan will be cheerfully answered. Address all communications to CONTEST EDITOR, Scranton Tribune, Scranton, Pa.

Three Special Honor Prizes for August. To be given to the three contestants scoring the largest number of points during the month of August.

MELDRUM, SCOTT & CO., 126 Wyoming Ave. Table Linen - for - Small Tables

Suitable for square tables and short length cloths, in 2, 2 1/4, 3 and 3 1/4 yard pieces. Left from the very best linens in stock. Prices that vitally grip the purse.

Remnants of our Linen, Silk Ginghams, Silk Mousselines, Swisses and Dimities for just about one half the season's selling price.

School of the Lackawanna, Scranton, Pa. Lower school receives young children. Upper school prepares for leading colleges.

Semi-Annual Reduction Sale. Big Bargains in All Departments. All the \$2.00 and \$3.00 Straw Hats Reduced to \$1.00

Louis H. Isaac, 412 SPRUCE STREET, 303 LACKAWANNA AVENUE. Try Our Special 10c Linen Collars.

S. J. Fuhrman & Bro, Manufacturers of Store and Window Awnings. Our celebrated Strap Roller for Awnings a Specialty.

TRIBUNE WANT ADS. BRING QUICK RETURNS. Alfred C. Arnold, A. B.

KEYSTONE ACADEMY, FACTORYVILLE, PA. COURSES. CLASSICAL, three years. ACADEMIC, three years. MUSIC, one to four years. COMMERCIAL, one year.

Do You Want a Good Education? Not a short course, nor an easy course, nor a cheap course, but the best education to be had.

Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. which offers thorough preparation in the Engineering and Chemical Professions as well as the regular College courses.

State Normal School, East Stroudsburg, Pa. NEW CATALOGUE. For 1902 giving full information as to free tuition, expenses, courses of study and other facts of interest.

Chestnut Hill Academy, Wissahickon Heights, Chestnut Hill, Pa. A boarding school for boys in the elevated and beautiful open country north of Philadelphia.