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August 8,'72-tf

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WILLIAM S. REES.

Stroudsburg, Sept. 16, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

Associate Judge.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

JOSEPH FABLE.

Hamilton, Sep. 2, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county as a candidate for the office of

Associate Judge.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

CHARLES W. DECKER.

Barrett, August 26, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts of Monroe County.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

ALONZO B. SHAFER.

Hamilton, Sept. 16, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe County as a candidate for the office of

Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts of Monroe County.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

JOHN H. FENNER.

Hamilton, August 26, 1875.—*

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If elected, he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity, and to the best of his ability.

THOS. M'McILHANEY.

Stroudsburg, August 19, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

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Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts of Monroe County.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

JOHN S. FISHER.

Stroudsburg, August 19, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

Register and Recorder.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

JOHN APPENZELLER.

Stroudsburg, August 26, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

County Treasurer.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

JOHN SHIFFER.

Chestnuthill, Sep. 2, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

With the approbation of all my friends with whom I have conversed upon the subject, I have decided to be a candidate for

Treasurer of Monroe County,

and if elected I pledge myself to attend to the duties of the office personally.

JEREMIAH KRESGE.

Stroudsburg, Aug. 5, 1875.—t.e.*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

County Treasurer.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

HENRY R. BIESECKER.

Stroud, August 5, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does here by most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county as a candidate for the office of

County Treasurer.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

SIMPSON FETHERMAN.

Stroudsburg, August 5, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county as a candidate for the office of

County Treasurer.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

LINFORD MARSH.

Stroudsburg, August 5, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate fore the office of

County Commissioner.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

JACOB B. TRANSUE.

Smithfield, Oct. 7, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

MICHAEL MILLER.

Jackson, Sept. 30, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county as a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner.

If elected, he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity, and to the best of his ability.

JAMES G. KINTNER.

Smithfield, Sept. 23, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned having been elected in the fall of 1873, Commissioner, for three years, but being allowed to serve only two years by the operation of the New Constitution, hereby most respectfully offers himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner. If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelidy, and to the best of his ability.

JACOB FRABLE.

Eldred tsp., Sept. 9, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity, and to the best of his ability.

CORNELIUS STARNER.

Hamilton, Sept. 9, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate fore the office of

County Commissioner.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

WILLIAM S. DEPUY.

Smithfield, August 26, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

MELCHOIR DREHER.

Stroud township, August 26, 1875.—*

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county as a candidate for the office of

County Commissioner.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

PETER S. EDINGER.

Hamilton, August 26, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

District Attorney.

If elected he promises to disharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

LEWIS M. BURSON.

Stroudsburg, Sept. 16, 1875.

To the Voters of Monroe County.

The undersigned does hereby most respectfully offer himself to the voters of Monroe county, as a candidate for the office of

District Attorney.

If elected he promises to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and to the best of his ability.

DAVID S. LEE.

Stroudsburg, Sept. 1875.

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Improved CUCUMBER WOOD PUMP is the acknowledged STANDARD of the market, by popular verdict, the best pump for the least money. Attention is invited to Blatchley's Improved Bracket, the Drop Check Valve, which can be withdrawn without disturbing the joints, and the copper chamber which never cracks, scales or rusts and will last a life time. For sale by Dealers and the trade generally. In order to be sure that you get Blatchley's Pump, be careful and see that it has my trade-mark as above. If you do not know where to buy, descriptive circulars, together with the name and address of the agent nearest you, will be promptly furnished by addressing, with stamp.

CHAS. C. BLATCHLEY, Manufacturer,

596 Commerce st., Philadelphia, Pa

March 4, 1875.—9m.

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jan. 30, '73.—tf.] C. R. ANDRE & Co.

DON'T FORGET that when you want any thing in the Furniture or Ornamental line that McCarty & Sons in the Odd-Fellows' Hall, Main street, Stroudsburg, Pa., is the place to get it.

June 18, '74-tf

THE TEXAS CYCLONE.

Four Hundred Lives Lost and 295 Houses Swept Away.

THE PLAIN COVERED FOR TEN MILES WITH SEVEN FEET OF WATER—A GALE—BLOWING 88 MILES AN HOUR—THE DEPREDATIONS OF HUMAN JACKALS.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 23.—A special New Orleans despatch to the *Times* says that parties who arrived from Indianola last night, and who were there during the terrible cyclone, fully confirm all the reports of the destruction of life and property there. Out of three hundred houses only five are left standing. During Thursday night, while the storm was at its hight, the water in the city rose over six feet in two hours, the wind blowing eighty-eight miles an hour, driving the water and breakers through the city at the rate of fifteen miles an hour, sweeping everything in its way and covering the plain in the rear of the city for ten miles to a depth of several feet. Several small settlements, numbering a population of 150, were also swept out of existence, making with the 250 lost at Indianola a total of 400 lives lost.

The gentlemen conveying this information gave a most harrowing account of the destitution of the survivors. When they left Indianola Monday afternoon ninety bodies had been recovered. The stench in the city from the putrefaction of these bodies and with the stench from dead animals was almost intolerable. It is also stated that a party of Mexicans Sunday began robbing the dead bodies washed to the plain, four to six miles back of the city. The scoundrels chopped fingers, hands and ears from men and women to obtain jewelry. As soon as this was heard of in the city a party of citizens went out and killed five Mexicans, whom they caught at the devilish work.

Value of Road Dust.

During a dry season, every country resident should secure several barrels of road dust. Those who keep poultry may secure, by its use, a valuable fertilizer, nearly as strong as guano, with none of its disagreeable odor. Place an inch or two of road dust in a bottom of a barrel, then, as the poultry house is regulary cleaned, deposite a layer an inch thick of the cleanings, and so on, alternately layers of each till the barrel is full. The thinner each layer is, the more perfect will be the intermixture of the ingredients. If the soil of which the road dust is made is clayey, the layers of each may be of equal thickness; if sandy, the layers should be at least twice as thick as the droppings. Old barrels of any kind may be used for this purpose, but if previously soaked with crude pretroleum or coated with gas tar, they will last many years. If the contents are pounded on a floor into a fine powder before applying, the fertillzer may be sown from a drill. Road dust is one of the most perfect deodorizers of vaults—converting their contents also into rich manure. Place a barrel or box of it into a closet, with a small dipper, and throw a pint into the vault each time it is occupied and there will be no offensive odor whatever. This is simpler, cheaper and better than a water closet, and never freezes or gets out of order. Mixing road dust with an equal built of road dust is an improvement, making the fertilizer more friable.—*Country Gentleman.*

The Life to Come.

What does a man take with him when from the extreme verge of life he launches into what lies beyond? It looks as if he took nothing. Be it the end, or be it a new beginning, it seems a fatal breaking off from all that life hitherto consisted in. This is what makes it terrible.

But if we look at it truly, his past life is just the thing that a man takes with him when he dies. He takes himself. And that self is the product of all his past experience and actions. As an oak bears in itself the result of every shower, that through long years has freshened it, of every gale that has toughened it or stripped its boughs, of sunshine that has fed it and the drouth that has parched it, so a man, when he stands at the end of life, is what he has been made by all his joys, sufferings and actions. That is what he takes into another world.

The life to come and the life that now is are parts of one another. They are related.

The strength we gain by our victories this year, and the weakness into which we come by defeat, will be a part of us next year. So, there is not an act, not a word but casts its influence forward into the morrow that lies beyond death.

Too Much for Butler.

An eminent lawyer of Boston tells the following story: A flashily-dressed young sprig entered Ben Butler's office and was requested by Benjamin to be seated. The request was complied with, and the young man was asked to state his business. "Well, Mr. B., what would be the first thing for me to do in order to learn the profession?" Benjamin fixed his weather eye upon the nobby-dressed young man and surveyed him from his flashy necktie to his highly polished boots and exclaimed: "The first thing you had better do would be to go and roll in a barn yard." An answer came as quick as the suggestion in the following terse language. "If I should come and study two years in your office, wouldn't it do just as well?"

An Elephant Story.

A letter from Bishop Wilson says: Tell my grandchildren that an elephant had a disease in his eyes. For three days he had been completely blind. His owner, an engineer officer, asked my dear Dr. Webb if he could do anything to relieve the poor animal. The doctor said he would try the nitrate of silver, which was a remedy commonly applied to similar disease in the human eye. The large animal was ordered to lie down, and at first, on the application of the remedy, raised a most extraordinary roar at the acute pain which it occasioned. The effect, however, was wonderful. The eye was in a manner restored, and the animal could partially see. The next day when he was brought and heard the doctor's voice, he lay down of himself, placed his enormous head on one side, curled up his trunk, drew in his breath just like a man about to endure an operation, gave a sigh of relief when it was over, and then, by trunk and gesture, evidently wished to express his gratitude.

CURIOUS FREAK OF NATURE.

A cow belonging to Mr Perry Mulock, of this village, gave birth Sunday morning to a calf that is the queerest compound we ever behe'd. The strange creature is supposed to have lived but a short time after its birth, and was minus eyes, ears, upper jaw and tail, its head being unlike anything we have ever heard of before. Its body was partly covered with bristling hair, while its legs were double the ordinary size, and resembled nothing in the animal kingdom, being a strange mixture of cow, horse and pig. A name is wanted for the monstrosity.—*Port Jervis Gazette.*

The Potato Field.

A man in New London, Conn., thinks he has made an accidental discovery of a preventive of the potato rot. He had a field of potatoes nearly an acre in extent, all apparently decaying, the vines having wilted and turned back. He resolved to pull up the worst of the vines in part of the rows, leaving the potatoes in the hills. A month later he dug the crop and found the product of the rows which he pulled to be nearly double that of those left in their former condition.

Norristown has mush and milk revivals.

Twenty-nine deaths in Harrisburg in September.

THE receipts of the Lehigh county fair were $7,185.

The epizooty has reached Norristown. It is exactly like that of '72.

The Philadelphia police made 3,439 arrests during September.

It snowed up in Manitoba and Northern Minnesota and Dakota, on the 5th inst.

The Reading *Tribune* says twenty thousand people have visited the grave of Mrs. Bissinger.

Mr. William F. Seifert, of Williams township, Northampton county, has a colt with five feet.

In September the Philadelphia mint coined 2,602,080 pieces of money, of a value of $1,585,375.

From the clay-pits arondd New Brunswick, N. J., 335,000 tons of clay, valued at $1,000,000 are annually taken out.

The Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company have in their emplyment about 14,000 persons, making a monthly pay roll of nearly $400,000.

Milwaukee is called the beer capital of America. It is a city of 100,000 inhabitants, and during the month of June consumed 28,327 barrels of lager beer.

A limbless corps has been seen floating in the lake near Milwaukee, and a calf boot containing a limb was washed ashore, supposed to be a fragment of Donaldson's body.

There is on exhibition at the Oregon State Fair a mammoth ox weighing 5,000 pounds. He is nineteen hands high and is probably the largest animal of his kind in the world.

The present supply of white pine in the country is estimated at three hudred and twenty billion feet. Taking the annual consumption at 8,500,000,000 feet, the supply will be exhausted in about forty years.

Carruth, the Vineland, New Jersey, editor whom Charles K. Landis shot in the head, is sinking in consequence of his injuries, and doubts of his recovery are entertained. The wound continually discharges, and he suffers from such severe pains in his head that he cannot rest at night.

A man in Williamsport, Pa., the other day, was engaged in carrying a hod, at a new brick building in course of erection on one of the streets of that city, when he accidentally fell from the scaffolding to the ground, a distance of twenty-five feet. He had just unloaded a hod full of brick, and had the hod turned over and was in the act of sitting down on it, when it tipped over, causing him to turn a complete somersault. In his descent he struck a board fence, breaking it to the ground. Strange to say, he was not injured. Large drops of perspiration were observed standing out on his forehead as he arose from the ground. He was evidently more scared than hurt, as he finished the balance of the day's labor. The fence was a complete wreck.