

Republican County Committee.

The members of the Republican County Committee of Forest county, are requested to meet at the Sheriff's office, Tionesta, Tuesday evening, Feb. 25, 1890, (court week) at 7:30 o'clock. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

A. J. SIGWORTH, Chairman.

Nothing going on? Nonsense! Legislation in the Federal Congress is going on, all Democratic opposition to the contrary notwithstanding.

James B. Mates, of Butler, Pa., has been appointed Census Supervisor of the Tenth district, which comprises the counties of Forest, Warren, Erie, Crawford, Venango, Butler, Mercer and Lawrence. All applications for the position of enumerator should be sent to Mr. Mates, at Butler, who makes the appointment.

There is going to be a lively time among the Democrats of the Thirty-eighth Senatorial district—Clarion, Cameron, Forest and Elk counties—at present represented by Senator Wilson, of Clarion. Senator Wilson wants another term, but will be opposed for the nomination by A. M. Neely and Representative A. W. Smiley, of his own county. Captain A. A. Clay, of Elk, is also out after the plum. When the fight gets hottest it would not be surprising if H. A. Hall, of Elk, steps in and carries off the nomination.—Pittsburg Times.

Gov. BEAVER has filled the vacancy in the office of Supt. of Public Instruction caused by the death of Dr. Higbee, by the appointment, on the 14th inst., of Prof. D. J. Waller, D. D., of Bloomsburg, Pa. Although a young man, the new appointee is one of the most prominent educators in the state. He will take charge on the first of March. Professor Waller is a graduate of the Lafayette College and also of a theological seminary. He preached for some time in New York state, but failing health compelled him to leave the ministry. While in charge of an academy at Orangeville, Columbia county, he was elected principal of the State Normal School at Bloomsburg, which position he has ever since held.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14, 1890. Speaker Reed has triumphed. The long agony is over. The new code of rules has been adopted by the House and the principle of majority rule vindicated. Under the new rules the House will be able to transact business more expeditiously than for many years past. The country is indebted to Mr. Reed and the republicans of the House, for having the courage to topple over the numbo-jumbo of precedent and give the people their rights. The people do not elect a majority of the House of Representatives to have it controlled by the minority.

Secretary Tracy is far from being a well man. He has not yet regularly resumed his duties and is still under the care of a physician.

Governor Hovey of Indiana, who is president of the service pension association, has made statements this week before the pension committee in both House and Senate in favor of a service pension.

The committee investigating the Ohio ballot-box forgeries closed its hearings Wednesday, discharged all the witnesses and adjourned subject to the call of the chairman. Wood, the man who furnished Governor Foraker the forged document, attempted to make a sensation at the last minute by stating that Governor Foraker, Had-den and himself got up the forgeries, but he has been convicted of so many lies that nobody would believe anything he might say.

Senator Moody has introduced a bill providing for the erection by the Postmaster General, upon request, post-office buildings in all towns having a population of 4,000 or more. The buildings to cost from \$10,000 to \$50,000. The bill carries an appropriation of \$3,000,000.

Senator Pierce has introduced a bill to create an agricultural commission to investigate the causes of the present depressed condition of the agricultural interests.

Every member of the cabinet was present at the last meeting. It has been more than a month since they were all together before, and Secretary Tracy would probably not have been present had he not been an inmate of the White House at the time.

We are now pretty certain to have at least two new States at this session, as bills for the admission of Idaho and Wyoming have been favorably reported in both House and Senate.

ANNUAL ADDRESS

OF WORTHY MASTER, HON. LEONARD RHONE, SESSION OF 1889.

(Continued from last week.)

Owing to the lateness of the commencement of the work, or some other reasons of which I am not aware, only about twenty-five (25) Deputies returned the blanks properly executed. To those reporting I paid one dollar for each Grange visited, according to instructions. If, in your wisdom, you determine to continue the work, we hope the movement may be encouraged and liberally sustained by Subordinate Granges so as to render it more general and useful.

THE DRESSED DEEP BILL.

which your Committee on Legislation had and had presented to the Legislature at its last session, failed to become a law. Whilst your Committee were persistent in urging the merits of the bill, their efforts were unavailing when met by the money influence which the Cattle Syndicate of the west threw into the State to create a sentiment against it and prevent its passage. We are told that the courts in some of the western States have decided against the constitutionality of laws containing similar provisions, as interfering with interstate traffic. We cannot believe that the bill we presented was of such a character. No fair construction of its provisions, by an untrammelled court, could construe it as an attempt to prevent the cattle of the west from being brought into the State and sold, only requiring that they be subjected to such inspection as will secure to our people pure and healthy food. We feel assured that a law embodying the principles of our bill will be urgently demanded by boards of health, and will become a necessity to guard the health of our citizens against the cupidty of unprincipled corporations and trusts. Having taken the initiative, I trust the Grange will not rest content until the measure shall receive the sanction of law.

INSURANCE AND ORGANIZED RELIEF.

Mature reflection convinces me of the correctness of my recommendations a year ago in regard to fire insurance and organized relief for the benefit of those who are unfortunate in losing property by fire or bereft of their natural providers. I wish to emphasize what I then said upon the subject. Our people, perhaps more than any other class, are careless as regards insurance, doubtless on account of the isolation of their property and apparently less liability to loss. We admit the danger is in some degree in towns and cities, but this fact is an argument in favor of it. Companies that confine their risks to rural districts, and manage their business with liberality and economy can afford to make the rates as low that every one owning real or personal property can avail themselves of the protection insurance affords. When our property goes up in flames, without insurance, and the circumstances demand, an appeal is frequently made to the benevolence of our people for relief, and we regret to say, often with unsatisfactory results. The first question is, Why was the property not insured? Local companies, confining their operations to two or three counties for the most part, do not already exist, but we recommend to our people the propriety of establishing such organizations. The same argument may be made in favor of Relief Associations, affording assistance in the case of death. The wise and prudent guard against emergencies that are liable to occur, while they have the opportunity, and by prudent and forethoughtful ameliorate the condition of dependents.

BUILDING FUNDS.

I respectfully recommend to your consideration the propriety of adopting a plan by which a fund can be secured for the purpose of assisting our people in erecting halls for their accommodation, when they have not the ability to do so themselves. Two and a half cents per quarter from each member in the Subordinate Granges of the State, remitted by the Secretary with the quarterly dues, would not be burdensome. And yet the small pittance of 10 cents annually, from each member, in a few years would create a fund that could be used to erect halls, and provide regulations for assisting worthy brethren to secure proper places for meeting. Nearly all Christian churches at present, and some who are not, have enterprises collect and hold a reserve fund for the purpose of assisting remote localities in the erection of churches and benevolent institutions, which are monuments of their sagacity and wisdom. May we not profit by such high and noble examples and in our generation provide for the extension and perpetuity of our Order? "Cherishing in our hearts, every kind feeling towards all other orders and associations which seek to promote human welfare, let us strive with them, working hand in hand, for the good of our fellow-beings." I confidently commend the subject to your consideration, trusting you will formulate a plan for the purpose I have indicated, which will be profitable to our people and adopted by them.

THE GRANGE

is the real farmers' ideal organization! To maintain this high position and retain their confidence it must be presided over by actual farmers. So long as the farmer controls the Subordinate, County, State and National Granges he will dominate its action in the interest of the agricultural class. It is in these technical organizations that he holds an influence that he cannot exercise anywhere else. And it must ever be so. The failure of other agricultural organizations is largely owing to the fact that their control slipped into the hands of other classes who were not in sympathy with our class, their action and influence thereby emboldened and their hold upon the real farmer, the true farmer is jealous of his rights, and when the honors that justly belong to the agricultural class were bestowed upon others, the rank and file of the Grange considered. The experience of former agricultural organizations should prove a warning to Patrons, and not allow ours to stand upon a same rock. Worthy and excellent persons in other pursuits and callings whose interests do not antagonize agriculture, have come into our ranks. They are honest and capable and are assisting us by their counsel and worthy of our confidence. We bid all such welcome and assign them labor.

THE SUBORDINATE GRANGE

is a fair field and admits of free and liberal action. Every member from the highest to the lowest can find something to amuse, instruct and enjoy. Some Granges succeed by utilizing our business advantages; others on account of the broad and liberal literary advantages afforded, and still others by their high standard of sociality, binding the farmers of an entire community into one grand social circle. While these several Granges may be lively, active organizations, yet they are not to be considered as models, where every one can find something to enjoy. The Model Grange must not only combine all of these advantages, but build on still broader and more liberal foundation. It must be a temple of charity and brotherly love, not only seeking to be benefited but benefit others; the hall a model of perfection admired by all; its walls filled with rare and useful books; its walls adorned with specimens of finest art; its imagery of symbol most instructive; its court the marvel of Ceres herself; its officers a unit, each vying with the other to excel in their different stations, rendering the part with an originality and beauty that enchants all that come under their influence.

(Continued next week.)

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THE PEOPLE'S STORE, MARIENVILLE, PA.

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We are now offering our Entire Stock of Ladies' and Children's Cloaks and Underwear, regardless of cost. Also our Fine Stock of Men's and Youth's Overcoats and Heavy Underwear, and a Complete Line of Blankets, Quilts, Flannels, Horse Blankets, Hobes, &c., in fact all Winter Goods, at remarkably low prices.

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The most Complete Stock of Imported: and Domestic: Dry: Goods!

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We have our Stock of Clothing made for us, and have in stock a very fine line of Ready Made goods. In fact the best in Western Pennsylvania. Very low prices. A nice line of OVERCOATS suitable for Holiday presents.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

An Extra fine assortment of all the best makes at Rock Prices.

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Gold and Silver Watches in great numbers. Gold and Silver Watch Chains, Charms, Rings, Pins, &c., &c. Our Queensware Department is Complete in Best "Albion" ware. TRUNKS, VALISES, SATELS, &c.

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GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

We have the Largest Line of the above mentioned goods in Forest County. SPECIAL—Gents' Fine Linen Shirts from 47c. to 87c. each.

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Men's All-Wool Jerseys, the very best make and quality, from 50c. to \$1.49. Underwear and other woollen goods in abundance. Prices to suit all. We have 150 doz. of Men's Fine Woolen Shirts that we are selling at sacrifice prices, in order to make room for our new Stock. We have a fine line of Ladies' Scarlets, that we guarantee to fit and sell at 50c. each.

SHOES—We have in stock the finest line of Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Men's and Boys' Boots and Shoes, that we are selling at Special Low Prices.

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WATCHMAKING.

The undersigned would respectfully announce to his old friends, that he has returned to Tionesta and has located in the Kepler Block, formerly occupied by Mr. L. Fulton as a harness-shop, where he will be prepared to give his old friends and many new ones. Having contracted an inward disease from which I have suffered for 24 years, and which requires exercise, I must therefore have an hour's walk each morning and evening, and shall open my office at 8 o'clock, A. M., and close at 8 o'clock, P. M. R. HALL, Tionesta, Pa.

BOARD OF EXAMINING SURGEONS

For Forest County. S. S. Towler M. D., President; J. W. Morrow M. D., Secretary; J. B. Siggins M. D., Treasurer. The Board will meet in Dr. Morrow's office, Tionesta, on the third Wednesday of each month, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

At an adjourned term of the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, held on December 29th, 1889, a special venire was ordered for the trial of Civil Causes in said Common Pleas Court, to meet on the third Monday of March, A. D. 1890, at 2 o'clock P. M.

BY THE COURT, ATTEST, CALVIN M. ARNER, Prothonotary.

TRIAL LIST.

List of causes set down for trial in the Court of Common Pleas of Forest County, Pennsylvania, commencing on the Third Monday of March, 1890, Special Term: 1. S. Kaster vs. James C. Welsh, No. 30, May Term, 1889. Summons in assumption. 2. Mary R. Fox, Joseph M. Fox and Hannah Fox vs. George J. Lacy, Frederick C. Lacy, Frank Bidingler and Geo. S. Lacy, No. 43, September Term, 1889. Summons in trespass.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next meeting of the Board of Pardons, on the 24 Tuesday of March, 1890, for the pardon of Frank Hunter, convicted at the Sept. Term of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Forest County, of attempting to procure and procuring an abortion. C. C. RUMBERGER.

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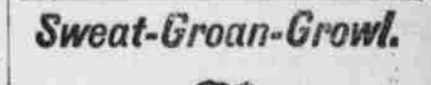


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