

Announcements

Terms—Associate Judge, \$12. Treasurer, \$10. These rates include printing of tickets, all names being printed on the ticket. Terms strictly cash with the order for announcement.

COUNTY TREASURER. We are authorized to announce JAMES H. FOXES, of Tionesta, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to Republican usages.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE. We are authorized to announce JOHN J. GREEN, of Jenks township, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to Republican usages.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE. We are authorized to announce JACK McCRAE, of Jenks township, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to Republican usages.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE. We are authorized to announce S. S. CASFIELD, of Tionesta through, as a candidate for Associate Judge, subject to Republican usages.

FISH BASKET BARBARISM.

All who are interested in having the streams of the state filled with food fish must be strongly opposed to the passage of any of the fish basket bills now pending in the legislature. Senator Hackenberg has introduced one in the Senate while Representative Kerr is the father of one in the House. They are alike vicious in that the fish baskets which they authorize would slaughter young fish by the thousands and old ones by the hundred and in a short time exterminate the species. The pretense for erecting these fish death traps is to capture eels, but while catching these scavengers of our streams, which some find tooth some, these eel weirs or fish baskets capture every other fish moving in the water, which are then taken by the barrelful and killed to the utter depletion of the streams.

This wanton and wholesale destruction of the food fish of the state is naturally opposed by the State Fish Commission, which indeed has little reason to exist if fish baskets are to be allowed in the streams. Every true fisherman must be against them, while economically they are indefensible, since they destroy the fish and rob the people of the state of a most important and valuable food staple. The policy of the state has always been against these barbarous and wasteful fish traps. Their maintenance is a misdemeanor and the only legislation needed on the subject is to make the prohibition more stringent by the imposition of severe penalties.

Let the height of folly to maintain a fish commission and attempt to keep the streams of the state stocked with food fish while allowing the eel pot tends to destroy these fish and their progeny by wholesale. Let the legislature amend its fish basket bill by doubling the penalty now imposed on those who use these devices to exterminate good fish. The fish basket is a barbarous contrivance that civilization should wipe out of existence. —Phila. Press

W. O. SMITH, editor of the Punxsutawney Spirit, who is also a member of the legislature, is evidently sound on the pension question. He writes his paper as follows: "The Philadelphia delegation is very much interested in the Judges pension bill, which proposes to retire on half pay Judges who have served twenty years on the bench. If there is any good reason why a judge, who receives a salary of from \$4,000 to \$8,000 a year, with mileage in addition, should receive a pension, after drawing \$100,000 from the State Treasury, we have never heard it advanced. Now if it were proposed to pension country editors, who had struggled with poverty and despair for twenty years, or country parsons, who had labored for a like period and received as pay only idly expressed thanks and a few beggarly donations, there would be some sense in it. But the idea of pensioning a man who is fortunate enough to hold the honorable and lucrative position of Judge for twenty years is simply ridiculous. To be sure it would not cost the state much money. Possibly there are not four judges in the state eligible to retirement under such law, and it is altogether likely that the people would be very careful not to elect a Judge for the second time unless he proved to be a veritable Daniel, yet it would seem to be degrading instead of elevating the judiciary, and there is no excuse for it that can be made apparent to the ordinary mind."

DURING March the money in circulation in this country increased \$9,600,000, a fact which will be taken by some people to be favorable. There has been a heavy decrease in the circulation for a long time. During the year ending March 31 this decrease was no less than \$88,800,000. During that month, owing to the new bond issues probably, the national bank circulation increased

\$3,300,000, and it is now almost as large as it was a year ago. There always has been and always will be difference of opinion as to the volume of currency, but the public at large in this country have always favored plenty of money.

GERMAN geographers have made a careful estimate of the population of Africa and place the total at 163,953,000, which is 42,240,000 more than the aggregate population of North and South America. Europe and Africa combined have a population of 521,332,000, though their area is not greater than that of all America. The New World has plenty of room for many times its present population of 121,713,000. The German estimate of the population of the world now is 1,480,000,000, and one of the best authorities of the Royal Statistical Society says it will be increased by the year 2517 to 33,586,000,000.

If any more outbreaks are hatched in Hawaii and anarchy there results the people will hold this Administration responsible, as one word from the United States would have meant stable government and no fear of any nation.

DOINGS AT HARRISBURG.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 8, 1895. The past week has seen more work accomplished in the House than any previous one since the session began. The Senate has been enjoying a recess during that time, having gotten ahead of the House in its work, which is an easy task, inasmuch as "courtesy" rules the roost there, and to oppose a fellow Senator's pet measure is considered discourteous and always frowned down.

Nineteen bills passed finally in the House on Tuesday. Among these is one to provide against adulterations of food and drugs. The bill is framed on the principles of the Ohio law, which is said to work splendidly, and its friends claim that the times are ripe for such a measure in this and other States.

The House wrestled a good part of last Wednesday with the bill on second reading, which prevents the sale of intoxicating liquors on Memorial Day. The bill, which has been up at every session for the past eight years, was introduced this time by Mr. Mattox of Venango, who made a strong plea for its adoption, and was heartily seconded by a number of the G. A. R. members in the House. The bill was opposed by the cities, and by only two members of the Grand Army out of about forty who are members of the House. It passed second reading and bids fair to go through on final passage.

The Judges retirement bill came up on second reading Thursday, and after some discussion passed that stage. Were it not for the high regard which all the members have for Speaker Walton, who is very anxious for the passage of the bill, it would have about as much show of getting through the House as one of the members' salaries would have. For this reason, no doubt, it was allowed to pass second reading, but if men talk as they will vote, the city members, with now and then a straggler one from the country districts, will have to do the passing, for it is almost impossible to find one outside of Philadelphia and Allegheny counties who will touch it when the yeas and nays are called. Just why a person who has received a salary of from \$4,000 to \$8,000 for twenty years or upwards should be retired on full pay is one of those problems which it is difficult to make a fellow of ordinary mind understand.

The bill to prohibit deer killing for five years was passed finally in the House, but what the Senate may or may not do with it remains to be seen.

Word has gone out that the country members are in favor of lopping off a million of the school appropriation in the next two years, in order that the charitable institutions may be taken care of. If this is true it would be interesting to learn who constitutes the country membership for the writer has yet to find one that will even listen to any proposition that tends in the direction of reducing the school appropriation, and if any self constituted leader of the country members has given sanction to any such proposition, he will find when the question comes up for disposition that he has reckoned without his host. Public charities are in many instances quite worthy, but other things are not, and it very frequently happens that money appropriated in that direction fails to accomplish the ends to which it is sent. The appropriations made to the common schools has come to be looked upon as a sacred fund, and any party which attempts to diminish that fund in the least will find itself douding in deep water. And the papers which have sent out the report that country members favor any such proposition are either wholly misrepresenting the facts or have gotten their information from a very unreliable source.

A bill passed second reading Thursday which provides for the organization of a State school book board, and provides for the purchase, by school boards, of books at the lowest prices. The bill is aimed in the right direction, and if made a law will go far toward bagging the game it is after, the school book trust. It is a shame to the Commonwealth that such legislation has not long ago graced the statute books.

This is beginning to look a little as though there might be an adjournment within the next six or seven weeks. Were the legislature to attempt to take final action on all the bills on the files and yet to be placed there, the idea of November would not see the end of the session.

NEWSY NOTES.

There are over 113,000,000 women in India and they are neither clamoring for the right to vote nor yearning to ride bicycles.

The entire circulation of the newspaper press of the world is estimated at 10,700,000 copies, and there exists one journal for every 53,000 inhabitants.

Neal Dow, at 81, is apparently as strong and vigorous as he has been for 20 years. But who could tell what he might be if he would only let him alone?—Boston Globe.

It is not generally known that when the Commissioners were appointed to select a site for the National Capital, Bristol township, Bucks county, received four votes and the District of Columbia four. Washington broke the tie by casting his vote for the latter place.

A new disease has made its appearance among the sheep in Centre county. The sheep first become dull and stupid and do not follow the others; the sight becomes affected, resulting in total blindness, and apparently the sheep become deaf, for they pay no attention to any noise, though it is violent. After standing around awhile with heads thrown up, they fall over, and lie there until dead, unable to get up, or stand up when helped.

The editor of the Orleans Republican refuses on the mighty dollar theory: "There is hardly a married man, except an editor, who does not carry in his pocket the picture of an attractive young woman who is not his wife. We violate no confidence when we say her name is Miss Annie Wiles Williams of Philadelphia, and that picture ornaments the silver dollar which all of us use." Let it be said to the credit of editors that most of them carry the picture of an attractive young Indian in their pockets.

The Illinois legislature has passed a bill by the provisions of which all bachelors over thirty two years of age are taxed for the purpose of holding and maintaining a home for old maids. A wise and just law, surely.

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Notice.

Whereas, brook trout have been recently placed in Little Conan creek, in Green township, Forest county, Pa., by the State Fish Commission, all persons are hereby notified not to fish in said stream, on any part thereof, for the period of three years from date hereof, under a penalty of twenty dollars for each offense, as provided by Act of Assembly approved June 3, A. D., 1878. Tionesta, Pa., March 27, 1895. FRANK P. WALKER, L. COOK, G. CARSON.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the late W. C. Wilson of Kellestville, Forest Co., Pa., that they must call and settle on or before May 8, 1895. Also, all persons having claims against the estate of said W. C. Wilson will please present them on or before date above mentioned. A. C. BRUNSON, Administrator, Kellestville, Pa., April 8, 1895.

Notice to Petitioners for Liquor License.

Applications for Liquor License will be taken upon Monday afternoon of May term of court, May 20, 1895, at which time they will be heard. By the Court, Attest CALVIN M. ARNER Proth'y.

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Office of THE PIONEER PRESS COMPANY, C. W. HORNICK, Supl. St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 7, 1894. Eureka Chemical and Mfg Co., LaCrosse, Wis. Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being, at least. I tried the so-called "Keely Cure," "No-To-Bac," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Bacco-Curo." Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured; I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Bacco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it. Yours very truly, C. W. Hornick.

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