

Republican Ticket.

COUNTY. Associate Judge, SAMUEL AUL, Jenks Twp. District Attorney, M. A. CARRINGER, Tionesta Boro. Coroner,

THE Old City Blizzard suggests that the habit physicians are falling into of sewing up an instrument or two in the abdominal cavity of a patient after performing an operation, is an extravagant one, and thinks, as a matter of economy, operating surgeons should take an inventory of their tools before and after each operation.

THE Hearst papers are calling ex-Candidate Higgen a "quitter." This means that he knows when he has had enough. Maybe it would be better for Mr. Bryan if he had a little of this sort of sense. And then, again, maybe it wouldn't. By keeping in the fight he sells more papers and gets more orders for Chautauquan lectures.

THE frequency of cyclones in Oklahoma does not square with the theory of cyclonic conditions growing out of forest denudation. Foliage in Oklahoma now is greater than it was twenty years ago, but cyclones are more numerous. The problem is one of air currents, and it is ever solve it we will probably be able to do nothing more than issue warning bulletins by wireless telegraphy. This, however, may prove to be much if it leads to indicated measures of precaution and provision.

EVERY human being spends much time in comparative idleness, says the Pooky Spirit. Much time, at least, that is non-productive in a monetary sense. But time spent in recreation may be made profitable with the right sort of thoughts for companions. If you associate with people of intelligence and good taste, you will add to your culture, and benefit perhaps more by the association than you could possibly do by reading ordinary books. If you have vulgar gossip for companions, who can comprehend or appreciate nothing but a scandalous story or a good "roast," you had better be alone with your own thoughts.

OUR little baby Republic of Cuba, which is Uncle Sam's ward, is again causing serious alarm. All of the Cuban patriots are intent on holding office and in order to pacify them, all sorts of useless offices have been created by the Cuban Republic, which is a tremendous drain on their treasury. It will be recalled that a few years ago Mr. Roosevelt sent Mr. Taft, who was then Secretary of War, down there to restore peace and we were compelled to occupy the island for more than a year in order to restore law and order. It has been pretty broadly hinted to the Cubans, that if they did not govern themselves judiciously, that the next time our interposition becomes necessary, we will interpose permanently.

DR. A. B. MELDRUM, pastor of the Old Stone Church, New York, discussing the recent resolution passed by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church forbidding the use of tobacco by either ministers or laymen, said: "I smoke, and I'll not give it up. Such actions do more harm than good. The assembly had too much to do to waste time on such matters. There is always someone who seeks notoriety by such resolutions. The use of tobacco is a matter of individual conscience. I will not bring the matter before my congregation. The members are entitled to their own opinions in the matter. It is no sin to smoke. I use tobacco and will continue to do so." As the late lamented Pete Conner would remark, "Smoke that in your pipe and put it."

DURING the year 1908, the steam and electric railroads of the United States purchased more than 112,000,000 pounds of coal, costing, at the point of purchase, over \$56,000,000, an average of fifty cents per ton, according to statistics just made public by the Bureau of the Census in cooperation with the United States Forest Service. This was some 40,000,000 tons less than the quantity purchased in 1907, when the total was approximately 153,700,000, the highest ever recorded. The decreased purchases in 1908, were, of course, chiefly due to the business depression which affected every line of industry. This forced most of the roads to purchase only the ties which were absolutely essential for renewals, and heavily cut down the purchase for new track. In 1908 only 7,431,000 cross-ties were reported as purchased for new track as against 22,557,000 in 1907. Of the total number of ties purchased for all purposes, the steam roads took approximately ninety-four per cent, leaving about six per cent for the electric roads.

THERE is one southern governor who is not disposed to encourage lynching in his state, and that is Republican Governor Wilson of Kentucky. Recently a negro youth was taken from jail, hanged from a bridge and shot full of holes at Frankfort for killing a man who belonged to a circus that was giving a performance in that town. Governor Wilson, upon learning the facts, issued the following statement: "There is no excuse, much less justification, for the crime of murdering this young negro. If he had committed a crime there was absolute certainty that the law would punish him in the proper way and at the proper time. He had no possible chance to escape punishment. A mob took the law into their own hands and murdered this young negro. Every man who took part in the affair is guilty of the crime of wicked, cowardly murder, with no legal defense, and the governor will uphold the officers of the law in the prosecution of every person connected with it and will do all in his power to aid in bringing to justice those who took part in the lynching." There are cases in which lynching seems almost justifiable, but the one here referred to is not one of that kind, and if the Governor succeeds in catching and hanging a few of those engaged in this outrage it will go a long way toward discouraging others of a similar nature.

Primary Election Results.

The result of the primaries Saturday afternoon is the nomination on the Republican ticket of Samuel Aul, of Marienville, for Associate Judge; M. A. Carringer, of Tionesta, for District Attorney, and the election of George E. Crider, Endeavor, for delegate to the Republican State convention. The vote was about 400 short of the usual poll, being 754 on the Judgeship, the official count on which there was much of a contest, and on this the unofficial vote was, Aug 383, John G. Watson 361. By a peculiar provision of the primary election law the vote is not canvassed until today, Wednesday, hence the official figures cannot be obtained for publication in today's paper. The figures given in the table which follows were obtained by telephone and are presumed to be correct, and the official count will probably make little or no change in the result. The figures on State delegate are as yet incomplete, but enough are in to indicate a majority for Mr. Crider. The election was devoid of excitement and passed off very quietly in all sections of the county so far as we have been able to learn.

Table with 4 columns: District, Associate Judge, Delegate, State Delegate. Rows include Barnett-Clerington, Cooksburg, Redclyffe, Green-Nebraska, Gultonville, Harmony-Fogle Farm, West Hickory, Hickory, Howe-Brookston, Frousts, Lynch, Jenks Marienville, Dubring, Kingsley-Kelletville, Mayburg, Newtown, Tionesta Twp, Tionesta Boro, Total.

There are not sufficient figures accessible at this writing to determine who was nominated on the Republican ticket for Coroner, there being no regular candidate in the field. A number of votes were cast, scattered among several persons, however, and the indications are that Dr. W. G. Morrow of West Hickory will be nominated. The nominees on the Democratic ticket will be M. C. Kerr of West Hickory for Coroner; Geo. Zuendel of Kelletville for Chairman; J. T. Carson of the Borough for State delegate.

George R. Johnson of Kelletville received a number of votes throughout the county for Associate Judge, and will probably be the Democratic nominee. The Prohibition party nominated F. E. Allison for Associate Judge, and the following delegates: J. M. Church, J. S. Henderson, E. L. Monroe.

A Great Mechanical Achievement. From a recent issue of "Wood and Iron," a journal published in San Francisco, and devoted to interests named in its title, we take the following account of a mechanical achievement by a former Forest county gentleman well known to many of our readers:

These are evidently the days of success for young men. Last month Hardy Creek, Mendocino County, California, witnessed a record made which will take years to exceed. The New York and Pennsylvania Redwood Company, some time past, ordered a Heisler Geared Locomotive from the Heisler Works at Erie Pa. The shipment came to San Francisco last month and with it came Fred Slocum from the Erie factory and son-in-law of G. F. Watson, President of the New York and Pennsylvania Redwood Company. It was Slocum's duty to unship the locomotive at San Francisco and attend to the delivery of the grade-climber at Hardy Creek.

It was no easy effort to transport a 7000 geared locomotive over a wire chute as was necessary at Hardy where there is no steamer landing. Young Slocum, with rare ability and great persistence, dismantled the engine at San Francisco, shipped the parts to Hardy by vessel and assembled the complete geared engine, ready for operation over the road from Hardy Creek in just six and a half days. He had the assistance of but two men who were picked for this exacting work by Dave Albert, the Superintendent of the Hardy plant. The wire chute threatened to destroy the equanimity of Slocum, for the wire was over 550 feet long and the largest piece of the locomotive weighed about five tons. The strain was tremendous but the chute held and the successful work of Mr. Slocum met with the praise of those who delight in surmounting mechanical obstacles. The Heisler is designed to surmount grades from 4 to 12 per cent and will run from Hardy into the company's woods. "There have been some important alterations in the Company's management at Hardy Creek. Dave Albert, for many years the Superintendent of the entire plant and woods, has resigned and will be succeeded by R. T. Buzard, who comes from the East to act as General Manager. "The New York and Pennsylvania Redwood Company has 21,000 acres of fine timber adjacent to Hardy Creek white its mill is being modernized just as rapidly as possible. The new 31-ton Heisler locomotive is one of the additions to the operating mechanism while the mill has recently been fitted with a Clark band mill. This was installed by Superintendent Albert and is so minutely adjusted and firmly bedded that a lead pencil, standing upon the mill, is not disturbed when the saw is in full action. A new Stearns Pacific Coast Edger has been added to the equipment and six new logging cars have been purchased from the Holman Company in San Francisco, manufacturers of the highest grade of logging cars. The mill is now running for the purpose of getting out the timbers necessary for the extension of the railroad construction but the regular season's cut commences on the first of May. Henry Foye is Mill Boss and Chas. C. Schaeffer, Sawyer."

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Body Not Yet Recovered.

The drowning of Herman Sager, the eldest son of Rev. and Mrs. Sager, formerly of this place, but now of Buffalo, which we mentioned in these columns last week, is still keeping the family in anxious suspense because all efforts to find the body have so far failed, though the search has not been discontinued. We learn through a clipping from a Buffalo paper, a few further particulars of the manner in which the young man lost his life. He went to the Century Silver Mines in Coleman, Canada, last January, after spending the holidays at home, to represent his father's interests at the mines. With him was John Haskell, also of Buffalo. Haskell and young Sager on Thursday, May 27, were paddling a canoe in the Montreal River, not far from the mining property, when the canoe upset, and both were thrown into the water.

Both clung to the canoe, but as no help was near, young Sager struck out for shore to obtain a boat so that he could return and rescue Haskell, who was unable to swim. The young man had gone but a short way when he was taken with cramps, in all probability, and he sank from sight. Haskell was rescued by men on shore who hurried to his aid. Word was at once sent to Rev. Mr. Sager at his home in Buffalo, and he hurried to the scene of the accident and has had men dragging the river for the body ever since, but up to this time all in vain.

RECENT DEATHS. FOGLE. Benjamin Fogle, aged 85 years, one of the oldest men in Forest county, in point of residence, and prominent throughout this section as a farmer, died at his home at Neiltown at 10:20 a. m. Wednesday, June 2, 1909. Death was due to the infirmities of advanced age. Mr. Fogle was born in Steuben county, N. Y., on January 21, 1824. He removed to Butler with his parents to live when a boy. In 1853 he came to this section and located in Forest county, and has since resided there. For many years he has been successful in the farming business at Neiltown and enjoyed an extensive acquaintance among the followers of that industry throughout the county. He was married in Steuben county, N. Y., 61 years ago, to Miss Rhoda S. Cornelius, Mrs. Fogle's death occurred at Neiltown in 1906, at the age of 83 years. Deceased leaves surviving the following children: James Fogle, of Pineville, Pa.; Benjamin Fogle, of Neiltown, and W. S. Fogle, of Pleasantville, prominent oil producers; Simon Fogle, Allison Fogle and Mrs. Bessie Rhoades, of Jamestown, N. Y. The funeral services were conducted at his late home at 2 p. m. Friday. The burial was made in the Neiltown cemetery.

Neighborhood Notes. Clarion has an ice plant which started in business last week. Judge Williams, of Mercer, has received several threatening letters relative to the sentence he gave the Boyles. Michael Dalton, an old resident of Sugar Grove, Warren county, committed suicide at Jamestown, N. Y., Friday afternoon by cutting his throat from ear to ear, almost severing the head from the body. Dalton was once prominent and successful in oil operations.

Following is a list of the fairs to be held in western Pennsylvania this year with places and dates: Butler, Aug. 24-27; Clarion, Clarion, Sept. 21-24; Crawford, Connet Lake, Aug. 30 Sept. 3; Mercer, Mercer, Sept. 7-8; Mercer, Stoneboro, Sept. 14-17; Dayton, Armstrong county, Sept. 28, Oct. 1; Corry, Sept. 7-10; Indiana, Aug. 31 Sept. 3; Brookville, Sept. 14-17.

William Lashaw, Jr., and Charles Schreckengost, aged respectively 17 and 19 years, were last week convicted in Clarion county of the crime of burning the barns of Dr. C. E. Sayer and Mrs. Kate McWilliams, near Hawthorn, in November and January last. The lads were sentenced on Saturday to serve an indefinite period at the Huntingdon Reformatory, depending on their behavior. The owners of the Kent house, at Lakewood, N. Y., are preparing to wreck the building and are negotiating with a wrecking company to that effect. This costly and handsome homestead on Chautauquan Lake has been closed for several years and its sumptuous furnishings have recently been sold. Rather than keep up the burden of heavy taxes, high insurance rates, the employment of a watchman and other necessary expenses incident to maintaining the property, its dismantling is proposed.

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Porkey.

Chester Downey is the champion trout fisherman of the season, he having caught two trout that weighed three pounds after being dressed. Those trout were caught in the pond at Minister. Mrs. Mabel Littlefield visited friends at Clarion a few days the past week. Mrs. Tilla Downey returned to Henry's Mills Wednesday to visit her mother for a few days.

Mrs. Sara Gillespie visited Mrs. Albert Lightner in Youngsville, Monday and Tuesday of the past week. Nathan Burdick took dinner with the Ruppert family Sunday. An oil tank belonging to the South Penn Oil Co., located upon Porkey run, was struck by lightning Friday night about nine o'clock, burning the tank, derrick and boiler house. The tank contained eighty barrels of oil. Lucky for Porkey it wasn't one of the large tanks that stand by the school house here. Joe Richards and family passed through town Sunday evening in their new auto.

A number of our townspeople held a picnic at the new power on the hill above Sheriff, Sunday. John Brennan, the photographer, was there also and took a picture of the power and picnickers. Ed. Gillespie finally got a dog. The dog doesn't quite fill the description of the one he advertised for in the Sheffield Observer, but Ed. is well suited with it, with the exception of the legs. He thinks they aren't long enough; they only reach to the ground. Geo. Blum's father and mother of German Hill visited at his home over Sunday. The dance at Stover's hall was well attended Friday night.

Lottie Littlefield returned home Saturday, after a week's visit with Bertha Jordan at Hastings. Pleasant Grove. Captain Elta Campbell of the Salvation Army, who has been home on a two weeks furlough, returned to her field of labor at Franklin, Friday last. Rev. J. F. Strayer of Clarington visited friends in our town a few hours Thursday. The Misses Anna Campbell and Stella Hotel were visitors in Clarington Thursday. James Black and Ick Gadley of Greenwood were in our town Friday evening to hear Forest Reynold's talking machine. One of our young farmers plowed a half day Friday before he discovered that he had lost the wheel of his plow. Gay Leslie and Jim Cossgrove were at Redclyffe on business, Saturday.

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Statement of Expenditures. Amount paid teachers, Teachers' institute, Auditors and clerk, Printing auditors' report, Rent, Repairs, Maps, Disinfecting, Secretary's salary, Cleaning schoolhouses, Fuel, County Convention, Insurance, Postage, Text books, Supplies, Tuition and transportation, Other expenses.

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