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G. A. Garrett, Pastor. Preaching in the Presbyterian church every Sabbath at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. H. A. Bailey, Pastor. The regular meetings of the W. C. T. U. are held at the headquarters on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. menth.

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CONSTITUTION.

monwealth.

Number One.

A JOINT RESOLUTION.

millions of dollars for the improve-

ment of the highways of the Com-

tion of the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-

vania be, and the same is hereby, pro-

posed, in acvcordance with the eigh-

That section four of article nine,

"Section 4. No debt shall be creat-

surrection, defend the State in war, or

to pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiency in rev-

enue shall never exceed, in the aggre-grate at any one time, one million of

dollars," be amended so as to read as

Section 4. No debt shall be created

by or on behalf of the State, except

to supply casual deficiencies or rev-

enue, repel invasion, suppress insur-

rection, defend the State in war, or to

Number Two.

teenth article thereof :---

which reads as follows:

follows:

the Commonwealth.

No. 1.

TIONESTA, PA., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1912.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS clation or individual any special or ex-clusive privilege or immunity, or to any corporation, association or individual the right to lay down a railroad

track "Nor shall the General Assembly in-TED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS directly enact such special or local law by the partial repeal of a general COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR AP-PROVAL OR REJECTION, BY THE law; but laws repealing local or spec-

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE ial acts may be passed: "Nor shall any law be passed grant-COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLing powers and privileges in any case VANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORwhere the granting of such powers DER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE and privileges shall have been provid-COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUed for by general law, nor where the courts have jurisdiction to grant the ANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE same or give the relief asked for."so as to read as follows:-Section 7. The General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law

authorizing the creation, extension or impairing of liens: Proposing an amendment to article nine, section four, of the Constitu-Regulating the affairs of countles, tion of the Commonwealth of Penncities, townships, wards, boroughs, or sylvania, authorizing the State to school districts: issue bonds to the amount of fifty

Changing the names of persons or places: Changing the venue in civil or criminal cases:

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives altering, or maintaining roads, highof the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania ways, streets or alleys: in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitu-Relating to ferries or bridges, or in-

corporating ferry or bridge companies, except for the erection of bridges crossing streams which form boundaries between this and other States: Vacating roads, town plats, streets or alleys:

Relating to cemeteries, graveyards, or public grounds not of the State: Authorizing the adoption, or legitied by or on behalf of the State, ex-cept to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress inmation of children: Locating or changing county-seats,

erecting new counties or changing county lines: Incorporating cities, towns or vill ages, by changing their charters: For the opening and conducting of elections, or fixing or changing the place of voting.

Granting divorces: Erecting new townships or oughs, changing township lines, borough limits or school districts: Creating offices, or prescribing the powers and duties of officers in coun-

pay existing debt; and the debt creatties, cities, boroughs, townships, electo supply deficiencies in revenue Non or school districts: shall never exceed, in the aggregate Changing the law of descent or sucat any one time, one million of dolcession: Provided, however, '1 hat the Regulating the practice or jurisdic

General Assembly, irrespective of any debt, may authorize the State to issue tion of, or changing the rules of evidence in, any judicial proceeding or inquiry before courts, aldermen, jusbonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars for the purpose of improv-ing and rebuilding the highways of tices of the peace, sheriffs, commissioners, arbitrators, auditors, masters in chancery or other tribunals, or pro-A true copy of Joint Resolution viding or changing methods for the collection of debts, or the enforcing

ROBERT MCAFEE, of judgments, or prescribing the ef-fect of judicial sales of real estate: Secretary of the Commonwealth. Regulating the fees, or extending the powers and duties of aldermen.

A JOINT RESOLUTION. justices of the peace, magistrates or Proposing an amendment to section constables: seven, article three of the Constitu-Regulating the management of public schools, the building or repairing of school houses and the raising of tion of Pennsylvania, so as to permit special legislation regulating money for such purposes:

Fixing the rate of interest: Section 1. Be it resolved by the Affecting the estates and Hou of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Comment: monwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the paid into the treasury: eighteenth article thereof. Amendment to Article Three, Section Seven, Section 2. Amend section seven. article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:-"Section 7. The General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law authorizing the creation, extension, or impairing of liens: "Regulating the affairs of counties, cities, townships, wards, boroughs, or school districts: "Changing the names of persons or places: "Changing the venue in civil or criminal cases: "Authorizing the laying out, opening, altering, or maintaining roads, highways, streets or alleys: thereof: "Relating to ferries or bridges, or incorporating ferry or bridge companies, except for the erection of bridges crossing streams which form boundaries between this and any other State: "Vacating roads, town plats, streets or alleys: "Relating to cemeteries, graveyards, or public grounds not of the State: "Authorizing the adoption or legitimation of children: "Locating or changing county-seats, erecting new counties, or changing

lar terms of service, shall be held on the municipal election day; namely, TAFT DEFENDS Tuesday following the first Monday of November in each odd-number-**RECENT VETOES** ed year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, twothirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such elections shall be held in an odd-numbered year: Provided fur-Militant Speech at Columbus That all judges for the courts ther,

of the several judicial districts hold-ing office at the present time, whose terms of office may end in an oddnumbered year, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of REFORMS SHOULD BE SLOW January in the next succeeding evennumbered year. A true copy of Concurrent Resolu

Mentally Deranged Woman With Two ROBERT MCAFEE, Knives Attemps to Interview Presi-Secretary of the Commonwealth dent: Detectives Nab Her in Time.

Number Four. President Taft was the guest at the A JOINT RESOLUTION. Ohio-Columbus centennial celebration

at Columbus, O. one of article nine of the Consti-In one of his addresses the presitution of Pennsylvania, relating to dent took occasion to warmly defend Section 1. Be it resolved by the his recent vetoes and to uphold the

State and House of Representatives veto principle. Referring to his ow of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania use of the veto the president said: veto principle. Referring to his own in General Assembly met, That the "I think I have used it moderately, following is proposed as an amendthough some of my friends do not ment to the Constitution of the Comagree. They have said that if I were monwealth of Pennsylvania, in aca king and should do what I have done cordance with the provisions of the my head would drop in a basket. But eighteenth article thereof :---

Section 2. Amend section one of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows: a greater proportion of the people than "All taxes shall be uniform, upon any legislator.

the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws; but the single person. General Assembly may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes, actual places of religious worship, places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit, and institutions of purely public charity," so as to read as follows: progress.

All taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws, and the subject of taxation may be classified for the purpose of laying graded or progressive taxes; but the General Assembly may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes, actual places of religious worship, places of burial not used or held for private or cor-porate profit, and institutions of purely public charity. copy of Joint Resolution A true

No. 4. ROBERT MCAFEE,

Secretary of the Commonwealth. Number Five.

Proposing an amendment to the Con-Be it resolved by the Senate and

Again Attacked.

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GIVES OUT LETTER TO CLAPP

Penrose Compared to Grafting Cop. Colonel Promises Full Publicity of His Spring Primary Contributions.

Theodore Roosevelt gave out the letter which he has sent to Senator Clapp. chairman of the senate committee investigating campaign contributions, before which Senator Penrose and John D. Archbold charged that Mr. Roosevelt had been party to the soliciting and accepting of Standard Oil campaign contributions in 1904.

Mr. Roosevelt almost at the opening gives the lie in these words:

"As regards the statements of Mr. Penrose and Mr. Archbold that with my consent or knowledge Mr. Bliss asked the Standard Oil people for \$100,000 or any other sum, or received such sum from them, it is an unquallfied falsehood."

Further on Colonel Roosevelt com pares Senator Peurose to a grafting coliceman and adds:

"His language is precisely the language that might be used by a blackmailing police officer in a big city in advising the keeper of a lawreaking liquor saloon or a gambling house to contribute liberally, because otherwise he might incur hostility in certain quarters. If this language were proved against the policeman he would be removed from the police force and as it is admitted by the senator he should be removed."

Mr. Roosevelt promises that there shall be full publicity of contributions in his primary campaign last spring.

"I wish to emphasize the fact," he continues, "that the testimony of Mr. Archhold and Mr. Penrose in this matter is an attack on Mr. Bliss, who is dead, and is also, unwittingly, the severest possible reflection on themselves, but it is in no sense any attack on me, except insofar as they assert that the dead man said that I knew of his request for money from them.

"I do not believe that Mr. Bliss said this any more than I believe their accusation that Mr. Bliss deliberately tried to blackmail the Standard Oil. mae keep mind that this h

I am not a king. I am a president elected by the people and representing "The president, therefore, is responsible to a greater extent for legislation which is passed than any other "One trouble with some legislation is that some reformers want every reform put into effect tomorrow morning before breakfast. It is well to make progress slowly, but to be sure we are making it. Change is not "A good executive must practice individual self-restraint, weigh what he is told and to do what he believes is true. God is on the side of popular government and it is making progress slowly but surely."

Caroline Beers, aged forty, of Greenville, O., was arrested in the Southern hotel while awaiting the coming of President Taft. The woman, who is said to be mentally deranged, is alleged to have declared she intended to punish the president. "I have the sacred knife for President Taft," she said.

Centennial Celebration

When searched two knives were found on her, one a long keen-edged weapon. A JOINT RESOLUTION.

RENEW FIGHT ON SENATORS Chilton and Watson of West Virginia

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Wealthy Washingtonian

Called Tax Dodger

and the second se

Washington is aroused over the charge that some of its wealthiest and most prominent residents have been undervaluing their fine houses in the northwest section of the city in order to dodge their fair share of taxes. Among those accused is Perry Belmont, former New Yorker, whose fine house, built on a triangular plot, is always pointed out to sightseers.

PARCELS POST JAN. 1 Postmaster General Hitchcock Work

ing Out Details. Announcement was made by Postmaster General Hitchcock that the ostoffice department would be in readiness Jan. 1, 1913, to put into gen-

eral operation the recently authorized parcels post system. The postal express business, which



or had received the money.

Further to prove that his skirts are

York Herald of Dec. 24, 1911. In this

Mr. Bliss is quoted as correcting Ed-

ward H. Harriman's assertion that in

1904 he received word of the desperate

state in New York from Roosevelt.

Mr. Illiss said that he conveyed that

information to the railroad man. He

discussed the situation and the steps

taken to raise the \$200,000. At the

conclusion of the interview this ques-

tion was quoted in the Roosevelt let-

ter which apparently further involves

"Then the president had nothing 'o

Answer: "Not once in the confer-

nce of the committee was there any

suggestion that he was doing it. The

only thing that Mr. Roosevelt had to

do with such matters was to issue

orders that money was not to be ac-

orders were ignored, as it was recog-

which he must not interfere and I

The letter to Senator Clapp, which

with Chairman Cortelyou of Oct. 26

and 27, in which it is ordered that the

\$100,000 from the Standard Oil com-

pany be returned at once, although

the sum is not mentioned, all of which

was just af 'r the time that Alton B.

Parker had first made his charge that

the Republican nomince and his chair-

great corporations in an unusual way.

The often printed Harriman corre-

spondence is reprinted in full and

Etter announcing Collector Loeb, then

private secretary, as corroborating

with it, mention is made of Senator

fonathan Bourne as an intermediary

for the Standard Oil at about the time

Incidentally, a paragraph is injected

o give the colonel an opportunity to

The last part of the letter is taken

up with third party propaganda and a

tribute to George W. Perkins. The

colonel goes on record as being against

the limitation of contributions to \$500

or \$10,000. He does not think the

amount of money has anything to do

"We are anxious to have the help

of honest men of means," says the

colonel as he draws near the god.

with improper use or purpose.

the suits were to be brought

files

brooked no interference."

do with the raising of the money?

Mr. Bliss:

were rescued by a policeman from the cepted from this or that person. His

ville, Ky., where they had marconed nized that this was something about

Proposing an amendment to section taxation Authorizing the laying out, opening,

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county lines: "Incorporating cities, towns, or villages, or changing their charters: "For the opening and conducting of elections, or fixing or changing the place of voting:

"Granting divorces: "Erecting new townships or boroughs, changing township lines, borough limits, or school districts:

"Creating offices, or prescribing the powers and duties of officers in counties, cities, boroughs, townships, election of school districts:

"Changing the law of descent or succession

"Regulating the practice or jurisdiction of, or changing the rules of evidence in, any judicial proceeding or inquiry before courts, aldermen, justices of the peace, sheriffs, commissioners, arbitrators, auditors, masters in chancery, or other tribunals, or providing or changing methods for the

collection of debts, or the enforcing of judgments, or prescribing the effect of judicial sales of real estate: "Regulating the fees, or extending the powers and duties of aldermen,

justices of the peace, magistrates or constables: "Regulating the management of public schools, the building or repairing of school houses and the raising

"Fixing the rate of interest: "Affecting the estates of minors or persons under disability, except after due notice to all parties in interest, to be recited in the special enactment:

feitures, or refunding moneys legally paid into the treasury:

"Regulating labor, trade, mining or manufacturing: "Creating corporations, or amending, renewing or extending the charters thereof:

"Granting to any corporation, asso-

persons under disability, except after due notice to all parties in interest, to be recited in the special enact-Remitting fines, penalties and for-

feitures, or refunding moneys legally

Exempting property from taxation: Regulating labor, trade, mining or manufacturing; but the legislature may regulate and fix the wages or salaries, the hours of work or labor, and make provision for the protection, welfare and safety of persons employ ed by the State, or by any county, city, borough, village, or other civil division of the State, or by any contractor or sub-contractor performing work, labor or services for the State, or for any county, city, borough, town, township, school district, village or other

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the same or give the relief asked for. A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2. ROBERT MCAFEE. Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Three.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION. proposing an amendment to section three of article eight of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (if the Senate concur), That the following is

proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the No. 5. provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:-Section 2 .- Amend section three of

article eight, which reads as follows: 'All judges elected by the electors of the State at large may be elected at either a general or municipal election as circumstances may require. All the elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and

for county, city, ward, borough, and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the municipal election day; namely, the Tuesday of money for such purposes: next following the first Monday of No-

vember in each odd-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto:

'Remitting fines, penalties and for-

"Exempting property from taxation: be elected at either a general or mu nicipal election, as circumstances may require. All elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and for county, city, ward, bor-

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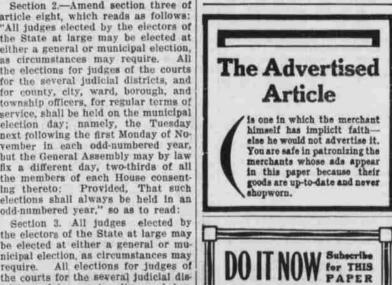
House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met. That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:-

stitution of Pennsylvania.

Article IX.

Section 15. No obligations which have been heretofore issued, or which may hereafter be issued, by any county or municipality, other than Palladelphia, to provide for the construct tion or acquisition of waterworks, subways, underground railways or street railways, or the appurtenances thereof, shall be considered as a debt of a municipality, within the meaning of section eight of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania or of this amendment, if the net revenue derived from said property for a period of five years, either before or after the acquisition thereof, or, where the same is constructed by the county or municipality, after the completion thereof, shall have been sufficient to pay interest and sinking-fund charges during said period upon said obligations, or if the said obligations shall be secured by liens upon the respective properties, and shall impose no municipal liability. Where municipalities of countles shall issue obligations to provide for the construction of property, as herein provided, said said municipalities or counties may also issue obligations to provide for the interest and sinking-fund charges accruing thereon until said properties shall have been completed and in operation for a period of one year; and said municipalities and counties shall not be required to levy a tax to pay said interest and sinking-fund charges, as required by section ten of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, until after said properties shall have been operated by said counties or municipalities during said period of one year. Any of the said municipalities or counties may incur indebtedness in excess of seven per centum and not exceeding ten per centum, of the assessed valuation of the taxable property therein, if said increase of indebtedness shall have been assented to by three-fifths of the electors voting at a public election, in such man-

> ROBERT MCAFEE, Secretary of the Commonwealth



ner as shall be provided by law.

election of Sepators William E. Chilton and Clarence W. Watson of West Virginia was made in a petition presented to the senate before adjournment. The petition called attention to charges of bribery publicly made in reference to the election of the two West Virginia senators.

The document was referred to the committee on privileges and elections. Senators Bailey, Bacon and Martin, all Democrats, declared the petition had been made for political purposes. Senator La Follette defended the petition as furnishing more basis for Investigation than did the original charges against William Lorimer.

The petition was signed by Governor William E. Glasscock, William Seymour Edwards, Herschel C. Ogden, David B. Smith and Frederick A. Mc-Donald and made a formal demand for an investigation.

The charges are similar to the ones made to the West Virginia legislature a year ago.

Supposed to Be James Donnelly of

Mystery attaches to the finding in Lake Michigan, near Chicago, of what is thought to be the body of James Donnelly, a wealthy coal operator of Bradford, Pa.

The body was clad in expensive clothing and in the pockets of his coat were found over \$2,000 wrapped with a paper of the First National bank of Bradford. There also was a bank book issued by that bank in which a notation of the withdrawal of a larger sum was made.

There were no apparent marks of violence, but the suicide theory is considered to be the least likely true of all because of lack of motive.

BOY DROPS 2.000 FEET

Balloon Rope Grips Lad and Whirls A true copy of Joint Resolution

At Flint, Mich., fourteen-year-old Chester Betts, son of Bert N. Betts of Flint, was accidentally caught by he guy rope of a balloon and carried up 2,000 feet in the air before the rone untangled and hurled him to his death. He crashed against the roof of a barn and was still alive when spectators reached him, but he soon expired.

Many at first thought the youth dangling at the end of a rope was a

dummy.

Titanic Woman Sues Company. Mrs. Elizabeth Faunthrope, widow of a Titanic victim and herself a sur- involved. vivor, has sued the White Star company for \$10,000 in the federal court in Philadelphia for the loss of her electrical storm Frank C. Hoelzle, husband.

aged fifteen, of Sharon, who was visiting at Uniontown, Pa., died suddenly Chicago's Population 2,450,000. Chicago's new directory gives the in bed. city an estimated population of 2,-450,000.

Witnesses Get Away.

Nicaragua may be made on the United Three witnesses for the state in the States by England, Germany and Rosenthal case are missing. France.

A demand for an investigation of the its various ramifications, all systems an assault on Mr. Bliss and not on of transportation of parcels now utilized by private express companies

After a sweeping denial of know-In order to take up personally and ledge or consent to any of the steps immediately the work of organization in the transactions as set forth by the of the new service Mr. Hitchcock has two witnesses he pays a glowing cancelled engagements he had for his tribute to the memory of Mr. Bliss, vacation and will remain in Washingbut adds that of course he could not ton to direct the organization. say whether Mr. Bliss had asked for

OPTIMISM REIGNS

entirely clean in the matter, although Period of Prosperity at Hand-Dun's the skirts of others might not be so Review. clean, Mr. Roosevelt quotes from what

Dun's Review of Trade says this purported to be an interview with Corweek: nelius N. Bliss, published in the New

"Advices from leading cities, both east and west, with scarcely an exception, speak of a bigger volume of trade, larger advance orders, better employment of labor and a growing confidence that the now practically assured crops make the future secure. "In every part of the country busi-

in which only some great and im-

Rescued by Cop.

The two were startled by noises in

on River and Drowns.

ness optimism is the rule and all other considerations are practically ignored in the light of the conviction that a period of national prosperity has set BODY OF COAL MAN IN LAKE

> probable calamity could stop." Bradford, Pa. WOMEN TOOK TO THE ROOF

Imagined Burglars Were in House. Mrs. W. I. Whitehouse, a seventeen year-old bride, and Lavinia Adams

roof of the former's home at Louis themselves to escape supposed burglars. the house and climbed out of a window is about 15,000 words long, goes ex-

onto a slanting roof, where they stood haustively into his correspondence in the rain until their cries attracted a neighbor, who notified the police. **TEMPTS FATE AND LOSES**



After Being Rescued Striley Goes Back

A few minutes after he had been Him to Death From Lofty Height. rescued from drowning in the Alle- man were obtaining money from the gheny river at Montrose, near Pittsburg, Edward A. Striley, aged eighteen, ventured back upon the stream in an

effort to recover a canoe which had been abandoned in the first mishap. Striley again feil into the water, frowning before assistance could reach him.

> Pennsy Telegraphers Vote on Strike. A strike ballot is being taken among the telegraphers employed on praise William R. Hearst for his pubthe Pennsylvania Railroad lines east lic service of high importance and Mr. of Pittsburg. Three thousand men are Hearst is requested to publish everything he has of the Archbold letter

Storm Scares Boy to Death. Evidently frightened by a severe

Prod For Uncle Sam.

Protection for foreign interests in