

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

GOVERNOR, Edwin S. Stuart. LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, Robert S. Murphy. AUDITOR GENERAL, Robert E. Young. SECRETARY OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS, Henry Honck. CONGRESS, Col. G. F. Hoff. ASSEMBLY, J. M. Dight. IR. M. Dight. JURY COMMISSIONER, A. Dale Thomas.

POLITICAL.

Thirteen States have nominated United States Senators by popular vote this year—Alabama, where the move over to the trouble making alternatives in case Pittsburg should die; Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. And Senator Foraker has declared his readiness to accept Congressmen's challenge.

In addition to these the conventions of both parties have declared for the principle in Iowa and Wisconsin and a modified form in Michigan. If the move continues to grow as it has in the present year the Senate may find itself reversed by the infusion of new blood gained through the adoption of this measure of getting around the Senatorial veto.

Palma and Cuba.

President Palma on Monday put an end to any expectation that he would make any concessions whatever to the rebels beyond the offer of pardon already extended.

American intervention, the President said, had not been considered, and the government believed it could end the insurrection without assistance. The President added:

"Banners of any action by the government in any way looking to compromise or hindering the rebels are absolutely false and unfounded for the present or the future. It is impossible that any contingency could bring it about."

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DEATHS.

THOMPSON—At the Butler General Hospital, August 24, 1906, Thomas Thompson, of Washington township, aged 37 years.

Mrs. Thompson underwent an operation some weeks ago, and had been at the Hospital, and in a serious condition from that time. She leaves her husband, two sons and one daughter. Her maiden name was Margaret Brown. She was a daughter of Isiah Brown of Concession township, and a sister of Mrs. Perry Campbell of Butler.

DOERR—At his home in Butler, Aug. 21, 1906, Howard G. Doerr, (a new-born child of Mrs. Doerr, who was born Howard was a son of Wm. Doerr of E. Penn street, and his sudden death was caused by an attack of spinal meningitis. He was a bright boy and his death is generally regretted.

FORINGER—At Taylor, August 25, 1906, Mrs. Hannah, widow of Jos. Foringer, aged 73 years.

GRAHAM—At his home in Connoqueque, August 24, 1906, Thomas Graham, Esq., in his 87th year.

CHRISTNER—At her home in Butler, August 24, 1906, Anna, daughter of two sons and one daughter. Her maiden name was Margaret Brown. She was a daughter of Isiah Brown of Concession township, and a sister of Mrs. Perry Campbell of Butler.

COUTLER—At the home of his son, W. L. Coutler, in Butler, August 21, 1906, James E. Coutler, formerly of Armstrong township, aged 84 years.

MARBURGER—At her home in Adams township, August 27, 1906, Mrs. Eva Schramm, widow of Melchior Marburger, aged 71 years.

LEOPOLD—At his home in Millersville, August 31, 1906, F. O. Leopold, aged 22 years.

HORN—At her home in Oakland twp., August 1, 1906, Mrs. W. T. Horn, in her 82nd year.

SMITH—At the County Home, Sept. 2, 1906, Mrs. Victoria Smith, aged 74 years.

BEATTY—At his home on Lookout Ave., September 4, 1906, Edward C. Beatty, aged 46 years.

Mrs. Beatty was employed for many years as a domestic in Butler. He was a member of the Masons, Odd Fellows, and Knights of Maltese. His wife and two daughters survive him.

DAVIS—At Irwin, Pa., September 4, 1906, Mrs. Marie, widow of James A. Davis, in her 70th year.

ALEXANDER—At his home in Pittsburgh, September 4, 1906, J. L. Alexander, aged 34 years.

H. H. Walley's farm in Parker twp., was struck by lightning and burned last Sunday night, with this year's hay and oats.

J. G. & W. Campbell's delivery wagon was struck and demolished in Breckinville, and the horse was hurt, but the driver, Chas. Fair, saved himself by jumping.

CHURCH NOTES.

The convention of the Tenth Sunday School District at Jefferson Centre, last Friday, was well attended and interesting. The singing and the exercises were fine.

Rev. T. B. Roth, of Greensville will preach in the First, English Lutheran church, next Sunday, morning and evening.

At the session of the Ohio Lutheran Synod that was held at the following: Theological Seminary, Columbus, O., Dr. E. Cronenwett of Butler, Pa., Dr. H. J. Schramm, Allegheny; Old Folks Home, Mars, Pa.; Rev. H. J. Schuch, Allegheny; H. J. Trueman, Voluntary, Swish Mission, Rev. G. D. Simon, Perryville, Otto Meyer, Allegheny, Adolph Brann, Allegheny.

Butler vs Mercer.

The Lawyers baseball team, a number of other athletes, ex-Prothonotary John Clark, Clerk of Court, Charles Burgess E. Bell, John M. Co. Smith, Harry Eastman, Dr. J. C. Smith, and others journeyed to Greensville, last Friday, and trimmed the Mercer county team.

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Oil and Gas Notes.

The Market—Both agencies are paying \$1.55.

Connoqueque, Walker & McCandless began pumping, Friday, at a 40-barrel rate.

Personal—A. J. White of Sandyhook, who has been in the Illinois oil field for several weeks, is home on a short business visit. "Jack" was not long in showing his experience as a driller and operator into play out there, and seems to have succeeded in catching a few dollars.

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Our new stock of fall and winter suitings are the finest and cheapest we've ever had. Stock's ready for inspection and you've our invitation to inspect same.

Come in and give us your measure before the rush.

WM. COOPER, LEADING TAILOR, Cor. Diamond, Butler, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Letters testamentary on the estate of Eli Patterson, dec'd, late of Clay twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please immediately pay, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to:

HANSAL J. PATTERSON, Ex'or, R. F. D., - Euclid, Pa. HARRY L. GRAHAM, Atty, 6-21-06

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