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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET. FOR CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE: HON. GALUSHA A. GROW, of Susquehanna county.

Concerning Liquor License Fees.

Judge Mayer has rendered an opinion concerning liquor license fees which is of interest all over the state. The city treasurer of Lock Haven said that all the liquor license fees were paid to the county Treasurers, who got a large commission for handling the money, and he asked the court to stop the practice. The judge decided that only the liquor license money that belongs to the county shall be paid to the county treasurer and what belongs to the city shall be paid directly to the city treasurer. This opinion deprives the county treasurer of a snug source of revenue, and transfers it to the city treasurer.

On the 9th day of June, 1891, Section 8 of the Act of May 30, '87, was amended and reads as follows: It differs materially from the act of 1887 but is the law now relating to persons licensed to sell at retail any vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors or any admixture thereof. Section 8 as amended:

"That all persons licensed to sell at retail any vinous, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, in any house, room or place, hotel, inn or tavern, shall be classified and required to pay annually for such privilege as follows: Persons licensed to sell by retail, resident in cities of the first and second classes shall pay the sum of one thousand dollars, and those resident in cities of the third class shall pay the sum of five hundred dollars; those resident in all other cities shall pay three hundred dollars, and those resident in boroughs shall pay the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars; and those resident in townships shall pay the sum of seventy-five dollars to the treasurer of the respective counties for the use of the counties in the following proportion. In cities the sum of one hundred dollars in boroughs and townships one-fifth of the amount of license, shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective counties for the use of the counties, and the balance shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective cities, boroughs and townships for their respective use: Provided, however, That the money thus paid into any township treasury, shall be applied to keeping the roads in good repair."

The latter part of this section is the point here in question which is explicit and says in boroughs and townships one-fifth of the amount of license shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective counties for the use of the counties, and the balance shall be paid to the treasurer of the respective boroughs and townships for their respective use. No provision is here made for compensation as it is supposed county, as well as borough and township treasurer will be compensated in disbursing the same. Take for instance Cherry, what each licensee wants to do is to pay the borough treasurer four-fifths of the \$75, take this receipt and then pay one-fifth to the county treasurer and that will be the whole sum and the receipts presented to the Clerk of the Court will be sufficient vouchers for his license certificate.

SEELTON, PA. Jan. 8, 1894. Ever since the shut down at the Pennsylvania Steel Works this town presents a very gloomy appearance, hundreds of men thrown out of employment with very little means ahead to subsist on and in the midst of winter. There is no definite period set when the works will resume operation. Should this suspension last until spring there will be scores of families whose means of support will be entirely exhausted and they seeking help from public charity. It is very evident that there is a wrong somewhere either in legislation or in the management of business. The panics of 1837, 1857 and 1873 caused hard times, but this one of 1893 is far worse than the three previous ones. The government is in the hands of a party at present that are swamped and they have swamped the nation with them. Their great captain has lost his compass blundering around after Lil at Honolulu and our people are left to suffer and starve. This is the effect of the great change wrought and sought for in 1892. The nomination of Grow for Congressman-at-Large gives great satisfaction to Republicans in this county, and his majority

will reach at least 3,000. From what can be gathered at present Hastings leads in the gubernatorial for the nomination. Candidates begin to loom up for town offices, and the greatest contest will be for Burgess and tax collector, and the largest pole will get the plum and he will be a Republican. Court convenes today and on Thursday, Bell will be tried for the murder of Ellen Miller. Leme Palmer will be tried on Friday for embezzling from the Steel Company. The winter thus far has been mild in this locality. No ice has formed yet on the river or canal.

The Two Democratic Parties. There is apparently no difference in the degree of viciousness in the two Democratic parties in this state. As far as can be seen with the naked eye, the McAleer Democrat party goes just about as far as the Harrity Democratic party in indorsement of the Wilson bill to reduce the wages of American workmen. In fact, each crowd seems to be rather afraid the other crowd would get ahead of it in swallowing the Southern free trade dose, but viewing the matter impartially we are inclined to think honors are about even.

This is natural enough, because these parties have not lined up against each other on any question of principle. Both are willing to get their principles from the same source from which they have hope of getting their spoils. They have very decided opinions about the kind of spoils they want, and are a little particular on that score. In the matter of principles they don't care. Having no principles of their own, they are willing to accept any from anybody who can also give them a few offices to make the principles stand down. Just now Grover Cleveland is the thinker and principle-maker for the two Democratic parties of Pennsylvania, a position he is enabled to occupy because he has been shrewd enough to withhold a lot of appointments which are now eagerly in demand.

On these points there is the utmost harmony between the two Democratic parties. Mr. Harrity's Democratic party thinks whatever President Cleveland thinks, and wants all the offices; so does Mr. McAleer's Democratic party. If Mr. Cleveland should reserve his position on the tariff question to-morrow, so would both the Democratic parties in Pennsylvania. If Mr. Cleveland said the moon is made of green cheese, both Democratic parties would meet and resolve that it is green cheese the moon is made of. If neither Democratic party has been quite able to keep along with the Hawaii affair it is because that flirtation has been carried on privately and not because either Democratic party was in the least unwilling to approve every feature of the tender episode.

With such entire harmony it may be a little difficult for some to understand why there should be two Democratic parties, but the matter is not so complex. It is the business of Mr. Harrity's Democratic party to take in all the Federal appointments; and it is the business of Mr. McAleer's Democratic party to do the same for itself. It is at this dizzy altitude of party inspiration that they divide. It is no mean and petty question of principle, but the loftier and higher one of plunder. Principles they get at any second hand shop—good enough ones for all their needs, about the offices they are rather particular. In the matter of offices they organize for business.

With such a commanding issue we may look for interesting results. Should the President carry out his threat to fill the offices in Pennsylvania with men of his own choosing not recommended by either party, unless peace is restored, we are likely to have still another Democratic party on our hands. We see no reason why not. Nothing can make more amusement than two Democratic parties unless it be three Democratic parties.

Merchants, think well over the subject of advertising from every standpoint and you will find it the best investment you can make. It helps your business and enables your local paper to give the town in which you reside, and where you do business, hundreds of dollars of free advertising every year. There is something in this latter consideration if you will stop to think of it. The increasing length of daylight is becoming noticeable. The afternoon is already growing somewhat longer—four or five minutes in actual time and as much more by the duration of the twilight. This week the change will be quite noticeable, though the sunrise will not begin to be much earlier for at least another week.

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IS NEEDED every day of the year. About the first thing which comes to the mind, in speaking of hardware is nails. What is the price? \$1.35 per keg; wire nails \$1.75 per keg; Ready mixed paint \$1.25 per gallon; Double bit axe \$7.00; X cut saws \$2.00 grind stones as low as 75 cents, each mounted on good frame \$2.75; best railroad wheel barrows, garden wheel barrows, \$2.00 and \$2.75. Many items in a hardware store you seldom see unless called for. They are not suitable for show windows—are too large for shelving. You may not know we keep them. We have sold iron and wood pumps for

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N. B.—Tin fruit cans—best charcoal tin, \$5.00 per gross; hand made mason's glass jars, 1 and 2 qts.

Jere. Kelly, HUGHESVILLE, - P

Hon. Russel Karns and son Harry who have been confined to their rooms with rheumatism for some time past, were unable to attend the funeral of Mr. R. M. Stormont, Mr. Karns' son-in-law, to day Thursday.

A New Landlord. The Holland House will have a new landlord after February 1 next. Joe. Middendorf, of Dushore, on Tuesday, leased the hotel of the owner, D. H. Holland, for a term of five years and will take possession on the above named date. Mr. Middendorf was for five years proprietor of the Dushore House, at Dushore, Sullivan county, having quit the house last spring. He was Dushore's most popular landlord and always conducted an excellent house.

Mr. Holland has made a good landlord, running his hotel in a manner very satisfactory to our townspeople and his leaving the house will be regretted; but we are thankful that he is to be succeeded by an experienced man now that he has decided to quit the business.—Wydusing Rocket.

Resolutions on the Death of an Odd Fellow.

At a regular meeting of Stonestown Lodge No. 221 I. O. O. F., held Dec. 30th 1893. The following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Whereas, It hath pleased the Supreme Architect to remove from our midst our late brother Julius Schmeid who died Dec. 20th 1893.

Whereas, The intimate relations held by our late brother with the members of this lodge, renders it proper that the memory of our late brother be ever fresh in our minds. Therefore be it,

Resolved, That this lodge tender its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family and relatives of the deceased brother in this their sad affliction.

Resolved, That the members of this lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for 30 days and that the lodge charter be draped for a period of three months.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered on our minutes of this lodge and a page of the lodge minute book be used for that purpose.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be given the family of the deceased brother and that they be published.

MORGAN GAVITT, JOHN W. BUCK, FRANK MAGARDEL } Com.

Trial List for Feby. Term 1894.

Table with columns: Return Day Feby. 26, 1894. Case numbers and names: 1 Marion K. Ryman vs Trexler, Terrill & Co. No. 133 May term 1892. Defendants' Appeal. 2 Geo. W. Weaver vs H. W. Frontz, No. 62 Feb. term 1894.

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