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John Hartzig vs Chas. L. Hartzig and George Hartzig.  
John L. Utz and Rush J. Thomson executors of John Utz decd. vs J. M. Young, et al.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Herbert Forrest and Miss Emma Fulford, both of Shunk, Fox Twp.  
John W. Sparty of Dushore, and Mrs. Elizabeth F. Flood of Newberry, Pa.  
Clinton D. White vs Ella Yaw, of Eldersville.

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## THANKS FOR PENROSE

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### INSURGENTS ARE LEFT BEHIND

Men Who Bolted the Republican Caucus On the United States Senatorship Are Not Popular As Candidates For Re-Election.

(Special Correspondence.)

Philadelphia, May 13.—Since President Roosevelt has signed the oleomargarine bill, the measure which is designed to protect the pure butter interest of the country, Senator Penrose has been the recipient of many letters of congratulation over the successful fight made by him in the senate in favor of this legislation.

There has been a large demand for copies of the principal speech made by him on this subject from members of the various granges, as it was regarded as one of the most forcible and convincing addresses made during the course of the debate.

Senator Penrose has gotten many letters enclosing resolutions adopted by various organizations of farmers and dairymen that advocated the passage of this bill.

Here is a sample resolution passed by the Spencertown Grange, No. 1,035, of Tioga county:

Whereas, The Hon. Boies Penrose, by speaking and voting for the Henry oleo bill, has shown himself a friend of the farmers of this state;

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Senator Penrose has received probably a hundred of such resolutions, and his mail almost daily includes additional expressions from similar organizations.

Senator Penrose will probably be called upon to draft part, if not all, of the platform of the Republican state convention to be held at Harrisburg on June 11th next, and it can be taken for granted that he will see to it that the Republican organization of Pennsylvania shall be committed to all needed state legislation for the protection of the farm and dairy interests of the commonwealth.

INSURGENTS TO BE LEFT HOME. Attention is now being directed to the personnel of the coming state legislature, although many counties have yet to name their candidates.

In this city the party leaders have agreed upon nearly all of the candidates to be supported at the primaries to be held in the first week in June.

Two of the most conspicuous insurgents in the last legislature, David Martin and J. Bayard Henry, will not be renominated for the state senate. Neither of them is a candidate. Martin will be succeeded by former Register of Wills Hackett and Henry's place will be taken by Representative Harrison, both of them stalwart Republicans.

Of the thirty-nine members of the last House of Representatives from the Quaker City but thirteen will be renominated. None of those who bolted the senatorial caucus will go back. The next delegation from Philadelphia will be conspicuous from the large number of young Republicans who will figure on the floor of the house. Under the present leadership the young men of Philadelphia are coming to the front in the Republican organization and they are being given recognition in a practical way.

#### THE CONGRESSIONAL CANVASS.

There have been but few important developments in the several contests for Republican nominations for congress throughout the state. The fight between Congressman Mahon and former Senator Hummel for congressional honors is becoming interesting and both candidates are on the go throughout the district. Congressman Butler, of the Delaware-Chester district, has been assured of renomination without opposition and Congressman Wanger, of Bucks and Montgomery, says he is not the least concerned over the suggestion of a new man being taken up for his place.

While there has been some litigation regarding the right of the chairman of the Beaver county committee to refuse to allow Congressman Acheson to register for the Beaver county primaries, the supporters of Acheson predict that he will ultimately be named to succeed himself. On the other hand Lawyer Cunningham, of Beaver, is making a hard fight.

Up in the Wayne, Susquehanna, Bradford, Wyoming district the conferees failed to reach an agreement at their first meeting with M. E. Lilley, of Bradford; Homer Green, of Wayne, and present Congressman C. Fred Wright, of Susquehanna, the candidates. Wyoming has no candidate, but instructed her delegates for Congressman Wright. The outcome of this deadlock is awaited with interest.

Congressman Deemer, of the Lycoming district; Jack, of Indiana; Connell, of Lackawanna; Palmer, of Luzerne; Patterson, of Schuylkill; Cassel, of Lancaster; Olmsted, of Dauphin; Dazell and Graham, of Allegheny; Sibley, of Venango, and Bates, of Crawford, are among those who will have no trouble in securing renomination. It is predicted that Pennsylvania will increase her Republican representation in the next congress.

Of the congressmen-at-large Con-

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#### SOME LIVELY CAMPAIGN WORK

Elkin, Watres and Pennypacker Are Now the Only Recognized Rivals For the Republican Nomination For the Governorship.

(Special Correspondence.)

Harrisburg, May 13.—With the developments of the last week the gubernatorial race has practically been reduced to a struggle between three competitors for the Republican nomination.

The canvass for delegates is still being conducted upon the most strenuous lines and the champions of the rival aspirants are kept busy watching the game of their opponents and striving for advantage at every point.

The last week formally disposed of two of those who had been mentioned among "the home favorites," but who were never regarded as dangerous factors, Senator W. C. Sproul, of Delaware, and United States District Attorney James B. Holland, of Montgomery county.

Sproul had been honored with an indorsement from his county convention and the delegates to the state convention from Delaware were instructed to vote for him. He concluded that he was not to be considered seriously by the state leaders and withdrew in a letter in which he said he hoped the movement to harmonize the party would be successful. The delegates from Delaware afterward met and indorsed Judge Pennypacker for governor. Mr. Holland, recognizing that he, too, had no show, did not allow his name to go before the Montgomery county convention and made no opposition to an indorsement of Judge Pennypacker.

#### BOOMING PENNYPACKER.

The Philadelphia Republicans, representing all factions, have gotten down to the work of booming Judge Pennypacker for the governorship. They are having their ward clubs and committees meet and indorse his candidacy. They have appointed committees to canvass the state in his interest and are organizing delegations to go to the state convention to cheer and shout for him when the clans gather in Harrisburg prior to the opening of the state convention on June 11th.

The action of the Lawrence county delegates in indorsing Judge Pennypacker is understood to mean that they expect the backing of the Judge's friends for their favorite for the lieutenant governorship, former Senator William M. Brown, of Lawrence county. Senator Brown's friends fought the Elkin men in Lawrence and succeeded in bagging the state delegates and they are in a position to deal with the Philadelphians in the framing of a slate before the convention. The leaders back of Judge Pennypacker are known to be friendly to Senator Brown and if Pennypacker shall succeed in getting the nomination it is believed Senator Brown will stand a good chance of getting second place on the ticket.

#### ELKIN'S STRENUOUS CAMPAIGN.

The campaign being waged in behalf of Attorney General John P. Elkin has not been relaxed in the slightest particular. The attorney general is directing his own forces and he is busy night and day.

Luzerne county was a storm center last week when former Lieutenant Governor Watres' admirers in the first Luzerne district, comprising the city of Wilkesbarre, challenged Mr. Elkin to a public debate. The "Indiana county plover boy" promptly accepted the challenge and the debate took place on Friday night before an audience of several thousands. The candidates avoided personalities, but each made a spirited address, in which he set forth his claims for the nomination. Mr. Elkin's address dwelt largely upon the developments in the political situation which led up to Senator Quay's request that he retire from the race. He reiterated his determination to continue in the canvass until the state convention shall name its candidates and demanded that the people be given an opportunity to express their preferences at the primaries in the gubernatorial canvass.

The delegates election in the Wilkesbarre district took place on Saturday and the Elkin delegates won. The vote was quite close. The Elkin men now claim that they have nine of the ten delegates from Luzerne. In another claim from the Elkin headquarters they count Armstrong and Forest counties, which held primaries on Saturday. In Dauphin county the Elkin men declare they will have the full delegation. The primaries in Dauphin take place on the 17th inst.

Colonel Watres seems not to be dismayed by the result of the Luzerne county elections, although this county adjoins his home county of Lackawanna. The colonel says he will keep up the fight until the roll shall be called in the state convention and that he is still hopeful that he will be agreed upon as a compromise candidate for governor.

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10:22	5:22	4:22	3:14	1:00	7:45	Pennsdale	9:50	11:40	3:57	4:41			
10:22	5:20	4:20	3:21	1:10	7:53	Hughesville	9:41	11:30	3:48	4:32			
10:40	5:43	4:40	3:30	8:03	8:03	Picture Rocks	9:33	11:22	3:37	4:22			
10:44	5:44	4:44	3:34	8:06	8:06	Lyons Mills	9:30	11:18	3:33	4:15			
10:46	5:46	4:46	3:36	8:08	8:08	Chimney	9:28	11:15	3:31	4:11			
10:52	5:52	4:52	3:42	8:14	8:14	Glen Mawr	9:22	11:09	3:25	4:03			
11:01	5:51	4:51	3:51	8:22	8:22	Strawbridge	9:13	11:01	3:15	3:55			
11:06	5:56	4:56	3:56	8:30	8:30	Beech Glen	9:09	11:07	3:11	3:50			
11:16	5:16	4:16	3:00	8:35	8:35	Mulroy Valley	9:06	10:54	3:18	3:55			
11:31	5:31	4:31	3:11	8:45	8:45	Sonctown	9:00	10:47	3:12	3:49			
11:48	5:48	4:48	3:18	8:50	8:50	Nordmont	8:58	10:45	3:10	3:47			
11:50	5:50	4:50	3:20	8:55	8:55	Mokoma	8:55	10:42	3:07	3:44			
12:07	5:57	4:57	3:27	9:00	9:00	Laporte	8:50	10:37	3:02	3:39			
12:16	5:56	4:56	3:26	9:05	9:05	Ringsdale	8:45	10:32	2:57	3:34			
12:29	5:29	4:29	3:29	9:10	9:10	Bernice Road	8:40	10:27	2:52	3:29			
						Satterfield	8:35	10:22	2:47	3:24			

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