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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.
State Treasurer, J. Lee Plummer.
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REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.
Associate Judge, Robt. C. R. Kshinka.
County Treasurer, Frank H. Farrell.
Commissioners, Boyd P. Bennett,
Frank H. McCarty.
County Auditors, Harry Botsford,
G. Eldaak Wilcox.

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chairman insisted that each institution asking for state aid should submit a certified statement of the number of free patients provided for and treated during the preceding three years. It being his belief that the money so appropriated should be used for the relief of the sufferings of the state's poor. This was so obviously fair and equitable that the auditor general has adopted it for the future guidance of his department.

Backed Even By Democrats.

One of the most important duties devolving upon the chairman of the house appropriations committee is the preparation of the general appropriation bill, which is the "budget" for running the state government for the ensuing two years. When the bill left Chairman Plummer's hands it carried appropriations amounting to \$16,500,000. It passed the house by a unanimous vote, not only all of the Republican members voting for it, but Mr. Creasy, the Democratic leader, and all of his party associates giving it the compliment of their support.

The bill was transmitted to the senate, and was amended there, and upon its return to the house for concurrence it was passed finally without a conference.

In this connection Speaker Walton declared it was the first time within his knowledge—certainly the first time for many years—that such a splendid compliment had been paid by the house to the ability and impartiality of the chairman of the appropriations committee.

Free Liquor Barred.

In nothing was the courage and common sense of Chairman Plummer more conspicuously illustrated than in his fearless action in barring all liquors from the committee rooms and from the cars on which the committee made its trips to various institutions coming under its supervision, and seeking the financial assistance of the state. With the private rights or habits of the committeemen there was no thought of interference, but the state purchased no liquor for the appropriations committee last session.

Something tangible was likewise done for the insane.

In connection with Speaker Walton, Mr. Plummer conceived the idea of making appropriations for certain insane hospitals for the purpose of relieving the overcrowded condition of the patients confined therein. Every one of the state institutions of this character was visited, the situation taken in and special appropriations made for Harrisburg, Danville, and Norristown. Harrisburg was given \$35,000 for the temporary ward buildings; Danville, \$85,000 for five temporary ward buildings, and Norristown, \$70,000 for four temporary ward buildings. These temporary buildings are to be of the most comfortable condition that it is possible to make them. They will be one story in height, wide and roomy, with a window at every cot, with amusement room connected, and with the latest modern sanitary arrangements.

Cared For Insane Poor.

The appropriations for temporary buildings are in addition to the appropriations made to the insane hospitals for permanent improvements looking to the more comfortable treatment of the inmates. For instance, the committee discovered that at Danville Insane Hospital the patients were sleeping on old wooden beds that had been in use for years. This hospital was given \$10,000 for the purpose of replacing these old wooden beds with new iron beds, with springs and mattresses.

The insane hospital at Warren was given the sum of \$6000 for the same purpose. All the other insane hospitals are furnished with the iron beds, etc.

In addition to the foregoing appropriations to the existing insane hospitals there was an appropriation of \$150,000 for a new hospital for the criminal insane; \$800,000 for the institution for epileptics located at Spring City, and \$900,000 for the new insane hospital at Allentown.

In all this new benevolent work the chairman of the committee was the central figure. He believed and declared that the helpless wards of the state are entitled to proper care and humane treatment, and he supported his belief by vigorous action.

Looked After Consumptives.

During the last session of the legislature Mr. Plummer prepared and introduced two bills appropriating \$400,000 for the establishment of two state camps for the benefit of consumptives. He had studied the problem of the

great white plague for years, and was convinced that the out-door life would save the lives of hundreds of the citizens of the commonwealth if suitable camps were provided for their treatment.

The rich may provide the comforts and environment needed to check the disease in its incipency, but those in moderate circumstances, and the poor, are at its mercy unless the state comes to their rescue. The bills were passed by the legislature, but were vetoed by the governor for reasons which commended themselves to his judgment, and the consumptive who is without personal means must wait awhile.

But Mr. Plummer is not discouraged. He is persuaded that the fight against consumption should be taken up by the state as a state institution, and that the proposed camps are needed, not only for the rescue of many already within the clutches of the dread disease, but also for the protection of the general public. And he means to push the fight and enlist the sympathy and support of others until the battle has been won.

An Exemplary Citizen.

In his private life Mr. Plummer is an exemplary citizen; gentle and kindly in manner, and modest in his deportment. In his young manhood he became an active member of the Methodist Episcopal church. He is at present secretary and treasurer of the board of trustees of the Hollidaysburg church of that denomination, and has been for the last 10 years.

On April 18, 1882, Mr. Plummer married Mary A. Silkmitter, daughter of Wesley Silkmitter, a farmer, of Huntingdon county. Their home life is ideal. They have been blessed with two children, a son and a daughter. The latter has just graduated from the Hollidaysburg high school, and the former a bright, active boy, is in his junior year in the same school.

Resolute in character, fixed in principle, a Republican from conviction, a citizen without guile and without reproach, the Republican nominee for state treasurer is one of the state's most useful sons. He well deserves the honor conferred upon him by the Republican state convention, and will make a careful and vigilant guardian of the state's funds.

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A. J. Bradley, Pres.
A. H. Buschhausen, Sec'y.

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Sept. 26, 1905.

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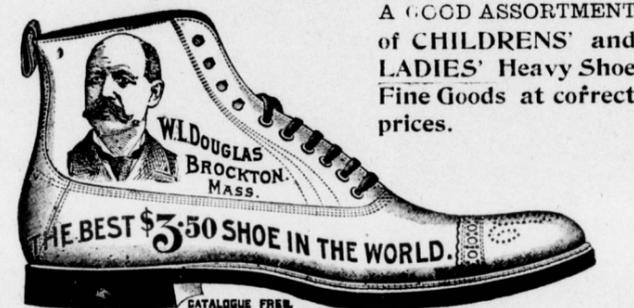
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