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NEW GRENADA.

Wm. J. Crider, who has been in Kansas for a year or more, returned to the home of his father, Jacob Crider, last Wednesday.

Miss Alma McClain, who has been at Huntingdon for some time, is home on a visit for a few days.

Miss Lola Clark, of Huntingdon, is visiting at M. W. Houck's.

Harry Clymans took a little outing to his home at Decorum, an incidentally attended the Shade Gap picnic last Saturday.

Queen Houck is visiting friends at Robertsdale.

Roy Shafer visited over Sunday in the home of his brother Harvey at Fort Littleton.

S. P. Metzler has started into the butchering business. This will be quite a convenience for many of our people.

H. H. Bridenstine and daughter Mary, of Plumville, Pa., and S. D. Rank, of Glen Campbell, Pa., managing agent for the American Central Life insurance, of Indiana, Pa., called on L. L Cunningham last Thursday. Mr. Bridenstine is also an agent for the same company. They are both very pleasant gentlemen.

Jesse O. McClain, of Robertsdale is building a large store room addition to his property, into which he expects to remove his store about the first of September, and vacate the room he is at present using.

Mrs. R. W. Cunningham and son Laverty, of Altoona, are spending their vacation among their New Grenada friends and relatives.

Tombstones and monuments have been erected in Bethel cemetery recently. The graves marked are those of Mrs. James Grissinger, Peter Baith, and Comrade Charles Noel. Mr. Noel's was furnished from the Quartermaster-General's office, Washington, D. C.

Ethel, daughter of Dr. C. A. R McClain, of Mount Union, is visiting friends here during her summer vacation. Ethel is a nice little lady.

Miss Mary Thomas, of Saltillo, and Miss Emma Fake, of Columbus, O., are visiting in the home of the former's brother, John W. Thomas, of this place.

Isaac McClain has his steam threshing outfit in the Valley, threshing out the crops of the farmers.

Miss Maude Neal spent a few days last week at her old home in this place.

Mrs. Jesse O. McClain, and Ruth and Blanche Alloway—all of Robertsdale, visited at Wm. Alloway's last Sunday.

Charlie Alloway, of Broadtop City visited friends here over Sunday.

On account of the hot weather and the dusty roads, very few of our people went to the Walnut Grove Campmeeting last Sunday.

Mrs. George Gress and John Deshong, of Dane, spent last Sunday at Harry Gaster's.

Unless rain comes very soon, gardens will have perished, and the corn crop will be a flat failure. Pasture is now burned up, the streams are very low, and many wells have gone out of business.

While coming down the mount ain last Saturday on a spring wagon, Mrs. A. D. Keith was thrown to the ground and severely bruised. The accident was caused by one of the wheels dropping into a deep hole in the road. The luckiest mortals in this erring world of ours are the road supervisors. If they were called to account for all the injury and damage that comes from their negligence, the courts would have something to do.

Mrs. Will Bair, of Saluvia, and Mrs. John Mumma and daughter Julia, of Laidig, spent a day recently visiting the family of Rev. S. J. Pittenger, at Burnt Cabins.

Mrs. W. A. Chesnut, of Hustontown, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Elliott Smith, at Riddlesburg, and last Tuesday, the two ladies spent the day at John Hoop engardner's.

Base Ball.

At McConnellsburg, last Saturday.

Hustontown		McConnellsburg
Barton	p	Pensinger
Chesnut, E	c	Doyle
Hoover	ss	Taylor
Foreman	1b	Fisher, B
Taylor	2b	Fisher, P
Chesnut, D	3b	Spangler
Woodcock	lf	Elvey
Wink	cf	Alexander
Keebaugh	rf	Helman

Umpire, Wilbur Grissinger; Scorekeeper, Irvin Helman.

Score:

Hustontown	210032052-15
McConnellsburg	002100000- 3

At Harrisonville, August 7th.

Laidig, Jrs.		Harrisonville
Brant, C	p	Connelly
Brant, D	c	Strait
Mumma	1b	Mellott,
Price	2b	Daniels
Brant, E	3b	Metzler
Lake	ss	Lawyer, S
King	lf	Schooley
Laidig	cf	Lawyer, L
Mellott, J	rf	Mellott, B

Score, 16-13, in favor of Laidig. Umpire, Erra Clevenger. Scorekeeper, Joseph Deshong. Feature of game—3-base hit by Edwin Brant.

PLEASANT RIDGE.

The farmers are very busy threshing out their crops, and are generally rewarded by an unusually good yield.

Prof. Miller's "singing" at the Christian church last Saturday drew a large and appreciative audience. Everybody was glad to see the Professor again.

Bertha Layton and Ora Deshong spent part of last Saturday the guests of Daisy Mellott.

Thirty-four persons were present at the "party" at Riley Deshong's last Friday night, and all report a very enjoyable time.

Marie T. Derksom, and Jessie Bard spent last Friday in the home of E. V. Mellott.

The Harvest Meeting at the Dunkard church last Sunday and Sunday night was well attended.

Earl Bard has purchased a new buggy.

Milton Mellott made a business trip to Hancock last Saturday.

Bertha Layton spent last Saturday night at R. S. Mellott's.

SIDELING HILL.

August 5.—Henry Layton was badly injured last Wednesday by falling from a load of grain.

George W. Gray is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mary Paull has returned to her home at South Fork, Pa.

Henry Deshong is wearing a smile that will not rub off—and just because a young daughter has come to their house.

Anna Hebner is visiting in the home of Aaron Hess, and her sister, Mave Hebner, is visiting the family of John Stahle, in Buck Valley.

Miss Nellie Williams, of Everett, is visiting in the home of G. D. Mellott, at Franklin Mills.

Walter Spade, of Hancock, is visiting friends at Amaranth.

Washington's Plague Spots

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WEST DUBLIN.

Joanna Morton, of McConnellsburg, and Florida Clevenger, of Washington, D. C., spent a few days recently at the home of their uncle, Hiram Clevenger.

Ross King and his mother, Mrs. Susan King, spent last Friday at the home of Mrs. King's brother, James Henry, at McConnellsburg.

Some of our farmers have been losing some sheep by disease.

A few of our people attended campmeeting at Walnut Grove on Sunday.

Everybody seems to be wishing for rain.

Some of our people have been to the mountain for huckleberries but have not found many.

Everybody Talking About It.

Everybody is talking about the great free offer of Dr. Greene's, who discovered that wonderful medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. He makes a specialty of treating patients through letter correspondence, and all who accept his offer are astonished at the marvelous success of this method. His office is at 9 West 14th St., New York City, where he receives and carefully examines every letter sent to him. After thoroughly studying each case he answers the letter, explaining the case of each symptom and telling a sure way to get well and all this is entirely free of charge. They save the expense of a trip to the city, have no fee to pay, and have the benefit of the best medical advice. Here is an opportunity for you to get well, readers; you can either accept or reject it. Which will you do?

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HARRISONVILLE.

Mrs. Alfred Sipes and daughter returned from visiting relatives in Franklin county.

Clarence Mellott, of Andover, made a trip to McConnellsburg on business last Tuesday.

Mrs. L. W. McGarvey, is convalescing slowly owing to several frights concerning her son Wm. Albert. Master Albert's mouth is still very sore from the carbolic acid.

Mrs. Florence Wink was visiting at Richard Schooley's Thursday. She had been taking treatment for her eyes at Needmore for several weeks.

The berry crop was a disappointment to many owing to the dry season.

Eleanor Bates spent several days last week with friends in McConnellsburg.

Watson Schooley is erecting a new granary.

Miss Rebecca Sipes was taken suddenly ill last Wednesday. Overwork and the heat seemed to be the cause.

Birthday parties and card-showers seem to be very popular amusements. Owing to the attention shown the "inward man" everybody says "I love card showers, but, Oh, you birthday parties."

Homer Sipes called to see his uncle, Watson Schooley, Sunday.

Cadiz Schooley is busy "breaking" his broncho.

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or scalded by overturned kettle, cut with a knife, bruised by slammed door, injured by gun or in any other way—the thing needed at once is Bucklen's Arnica Salve to subdue inflammation and kill the pain. It's earth's supreme healer, infallible for boils, ulcers, fever sores, eczema, and piles. 25c. at Trout's drug store.

SHARPE.

There will be singing at Antioch church Sunday evening, August 22nd.

Mrs. Alvin Funk was buried at Rehoboth church last Sunday. The two boys have scarlet fever.

Festivals are all the go—one every Saturday night.

The song service held by Professor Miller at Antioch last Friday night was largely attended.

Miss Rose Mellott, of McKibbin, was visiting her aunt Mrs. Shade Truax at Sharpe last week.

On account of the dance at David Hill's, there was not as large a crowd as usual at George W. Bishop's festival last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs Gaily Chambers and three children are home on a visit. They expect to return to their home in Philadelphia about the first of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mellott and family, Grace Lake, Will Stofer, and Eva Bedford were among those who attended the song service at Antioch Friday evening.

Mrs. Shade Truax and Miss Rose Mellott spent last Saturday in Hancock and on their way stopped to see the formers's sister Mrs. Goldie Weaver.

The delegate meeting will be held on Saturday the 15th at Antioch to elect a preacher for the coming year.

GEM.

Isaac Peck, of Covalt, spent Sunday in the home of William Kellner.

Among those who visited David Hann's last Sunday were: Brady Mellott, wife and son Paul; Geo Mellott, wife and son Harold; Mrs. Isaiah Sipes and children, Howard Truax, May Lake, Harrison Hann, Mabelle Truax, and Clarence Mellott.

Quite a number of our people attended song services at the Dunkard church Sunday evening.

Cyrus Covalt spent Sunday evening in the home of B. F. Daniels

Among those visiting Isaiah Mellott's last Sunday were: David and Ross Gordon, Jonas Mellott and wife, and Miss Irene Mellott.

G. J. Mellott burned his limekiln last week.

Mrs. Jane Kline, who has been on the sick list, is reported better.

The Cross Roads Sunday school is progressing nicely.

NEEDMORE.

Mrs. Dorothy Graves is spending some time with her sister Mrs. John McClellan

John B. Runyan and son Russell, of McConnellsburg, spent last Monday night with the former's parents Mr, and Mrs. A. Runyan.

Mrs. Lafferty, of New Jersey, spent several days last week visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs Charles Kershner.

Eld. Funk preached here last Sunday evening.

The teachers' examination was held here last Friday. There were three who took the examination, and plenty of applicants for the schools.

Alexander Mellott has opened his new drive way, between the roads to Pigeon Cove and Covalt. It may be delightful traveling along Barnett's Run these hot days, but there is no evidence of the road having been used yet.

There will be a "Remedy Show" in town this week.

THOMPSON.

The drought still continues.

Daisy Kelly, of McConnellsburg, spent a few days last week with her friend Jessie Truax.

John M. Pittman, of Pigeon Cove, spent Sunday at H. Sharpe's.

Raymond Litton and cousin Mrs. Roush spent from Saturday until Monday with friends in the Cove.

Mattie Winters spent Sunday with her cousin Etta Douglass.

Mrs. W. H Pittman and daughter Gaynell spent Sunday with Mrs. Pittman's brother Jacob Hess and family.

Peter Wolfe, of Mercersburg, is spending this week fishing in Licking Creek.

Mrs. Mary A. Kelly, of McConnellsburg, visited friends near Sharpe last week.

Rev. Powers and wife, of Needmore, spent last Wednesday night at W. H. Pittmen's.

Mrs. Job Winters and daughter, Mrs. York and her two children, and daughter-in-law Mrs Rufus Winters—all of Greenville, Ohio, spent a couple of weeks with friends near Plum Run.

Owing to the pastor, Rev. Powers, holding a "Bush Meeting" at Laurel Ridge there will be no services at Damascus next Sunday.

WHIPS COVE.

Mrs. S. W. Hart and children Edith and Harry, of Kennett Square, Chester county, Pa, formerly of Emmaville, were here on a visit among relatives and friends. Mrs. Hart is a daughter of J. M. Truax, of Belfast township. They look like Kennett Square was a healthy place. They were welcome visitors to the Cove. They left for home over the Western Maryland railroad from Hancock, on the second day of August.

Mrs. C. W. Lynch and daughters Mamie, Mary, and Gaylin, of Gapsville, drove over to Sunnyside last Saturday, and returned Sunday.

William Barton and son, of Graceville, passed through the Cove last Wednesday on their way over to paint Job Truax's house, near Needmore. They took dinner at Frank P. Plessinger's.

There are a few people in the Cove that this dry weather doesn't suit.

Wm Stetler's saw mill is running on Emanuel Mills' place. Charlie Robinson, of Hancock, is the sawyer.

The thresher is heard six days in the week now. There have been four different machines, three traction engines, and one "old stand-by" at work. So many machines would make it look like this was a great farming country; but it is 1½ day to the machine, to make six days in the week, and not so much work, after all, to do.

Residents of Sunnyside had an ice cream supper at Geo. Wa. Mellott's in honor of Mrs. S. W. Hart Those present were Mrs. Rachel Hart, F. P. Plessinger, wife, and children Mary and Gene; Geo. Wa. Mellott and wife; W. V. Hart, wife and children Leslie and Marshall; Mrs. S. W. Hart and children Edith and Harry.

After supper Mrs. Mellott treated the party to some good music on the graphophone, closing with "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION, BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing amendments to sections eight and twenty-one of article four, sections eleven and twelve of article five, sections two, three, and fourteen of article eight, section one of article twelve, and sections two and seven of article fourteen, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, and providing a schedule for carrying the amendments into effect.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following are proposed as amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Amendment One—To Article Four, Section Eight.

Section 2. Amend section eight of article four of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:—

"He shall nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of two-thirds of all the members of the Senate, appoint a Secretary of the Commonwealth and an Attorney General during pleasure, a Superintendent of Public Instruction for four years, and such other officers of the Commonwealth as he is or may be authorized by the Constitution or by law to appoint; he shall have power to fill all vacancies that may happen, in offices to which he may appoint, during the recess of the Senate, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session; he shall have power to fill any vacancy that may happen, during the recess of the Senate, in the office of Auditor General, State Treasurer, Secretary of Internal Affairs or Superintendent of Public Instruction, in a judicial office, or in any other elective office which he is or may be authorized to fill; if the vacancy shall happen during the session of the Senate, the Governor shall nominate to the Senate, before their final adjournment, a proper person to fill said vacancy; but in any such case of vacancy, in an elective office, a person shall be chosen to said office at the next general election, unless the vacancy shall happen within three calendar months immediately preceding such election, in which case the election for said office shall be held at the second succeeding general election. In acting on executive nominations the Senate shall sit with open doors, and, in confirming or rejecting the nominations of the Governor, the vote shall be taken by yeas and nays, and shall be entered on the journal," so as to read as follows:—

He shall nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of two-thirds of all the members of the Senate, appoint a Secretary of the Commonwealth and an Attorney General during pleasure, a Superintendent of Public Instruction for four years, and such other officers of the Commonwealth as he is or may be authorized by the Constitution or by law to appoint; he shall have power to fill all vacancies that may happen, in offices to which he may appoint, during the recess of the Senate, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session; he shall have power to fill any vacancy that may happen, during the recess of the Senate, in the office of Auditor General, State Treasurer, Secretary of Internal Affairs or Superintendent of Public Instruction, in a judicial office, or in any other elective office which he is or may be authorized to fill; if the vacancy shall happen during the session of the Senate, the Governor shall nominate to the Senate, before their final adjournment, a proper person to fill said vacancy; but in any such case of vacancy, in an elective office, a person shall be chosen to said office on the next election day appropriate to such office, according to the provisions of this Constitution, unless the vacancy shall happen within two calendar months immediately preceding such election day, in which case the election for said office shall be held on the second succeeding election day appropriate to such office. In acting on executive nominations the Senate shall sit with open doors, and, in confirming or rejecting the nominations of the Governor, the vote shall be taken by yeas and nays, and shall be entered on the journal.

Amendment Two—To Article Four, Section Twenty-one.

Section 3. Amend section twenty-one of article four, which reads as follows:—

"The term of the Secretary of Internal Affairs shall be four years; of the Auditor General three years; and of the State Treasurer two years. These officers shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State at general elections. No person elected to the office of Auditor General or State Treasurer shall be capable of holding the same office for two consecutive terms," so as to read:—

The terms of the Secretary of Internal Affairs, the Auditor General, and the State Treasurer shall each be four years and they shall be chosen by the qualified electors of the State at general elections but a State Treasurer, elected in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine shall serve for three years, and his successors shall be elected at the general election in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and in every fourth year thereafter. No person elected to the office of Auditor General or State Treasurer shall be capable of holding the same office for two consecutive terms.

Amendment Three—To Article Five, Section Eleven.

Section 4. Amend section eleven of article five, which reads as follows:—

"Except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, justices of the peace or aldermen shall be elected in the several wards, districts, boroughs and townships at the time of the election of constables by the qualified electors thereof, in such manner as shall be directed by law, and shall be commissioned by the Governor for a term of five years. No township, ward, district or borough shall elect more than two justices of the peace or aldermen without the consent of a majority of the qualified electors within such township, ward or borough; no person shall be elected to such office unless he shall have resided within the township, borough ward or district for one year next preceding his election. In cities containing over fifty thousand inhabitants, not more than one alderman shall be elected in each ward or district," so as to read:—

Except as otherwise provided in this Constitution, justices of the peace or aldermen shall be elected in the several wards, districts, boroughs or townships, by the qualified electors thereof, at the municipal election, in such manner as shall be directed by law, and shall be commissioned by the Governor for a term of six years. No township, ward, district or borough shall elect more than two justices of the peace or aldermen without the consent of a majority of the qualified electors within such township, ward or borough; no person shall be elected to such office unless he shall have resided within the township, borough, ward or district for one year next preceding his election. In cities containing over fifty thousand inhabitants, not more than one alderman shall be elected in each ward or district.

Amendment Four—To Article Five, Section Twelve.

Section 5. Amend section twelve of article five of the Constituton, which reads as follows:—

"In Philadelphia there shall be established, for each thirty thousand inhabitants, one court, not of record, of police and civil causes, with jurisdiction not exceeding one hundred dollars; such courts shall be held by magistrates whose term of office shall be five years and they shall be elected on general ticket by the qualified voters at large; and in the election of the said magistrates no voter shall vote for more than two-thirds of the number of persons to be elected when more than one are to be chosen; they shall be compensated only by fixed salaries, to be paid by said county; and shall exercise such jurisdiction, civil and criminal, except as herein provided, as is now exercised by aldermen, subject to such changes, not involving an increase of civil jurisdiction or conferring political duties, as may be made by law. In Philadelphia the office of alderman is abolished," so as to read as follows:—

In Philadelphia there shall be established, for each thirty thousand inhabitants, one court, not of record, of police and civil causes, with jurisdiction not exceeding one hundred dollars; such courts shall be held by magistrates whose term of office shall be six years, and they shall be elected on general ticket at the municipal election, by the qualified voters at large; and in the election of the said magistrates no voter shall vote for more than two-thirds of the number of persons to be elected when more than one are to be chosen; they shall be compensated only by fixed salaries, to be paid by said county; and shall exercise such jurisdiction, civil and criminal, except as herein provided, as is now exercised by aldermen, subject to such changes, not involving an increase of civil jurisdiction or conferring political duties, as may be made by law. In Philadelphia the office of alderman is abolished.

Amendment Five—To Article Eight, Section Two.

Section 6. Amend section two of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"The general election shall be held annually on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto," so as to read:—

The general election shall be held biennially on the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each even-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such election shall always be held in an even-numbered year.

Amendment Six—To Article Eight, Section Three.

Section 7. Amend section three of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"All elections for city, ward, borough and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the third Tuesday of February," so as to read:—

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 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 next following the first Monday of November 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: Provided, That such election shall always be held in an odd-numbered year.

Amendment Seven—To Article Eight, Section Fourteen.

Section 8. Amend section fourteen of article eight, which reads as follows:—

"District election boards shall consist of a judge and two inspectors, who shall be chosen annually by the citizens. Each elector shall have the right to vote for the judge and one inspector, and each inspector shall appoint one clerk. The first election board for any new district shall be selected, and vacancies in election boards filled, as shall be provided by law. Election officers shall be privileged from arrest upon days of election, and while engaged in making up and transmitting returns, except upon warrant of a court of record or judge thereof, for an election fraud, for felony, or for wanton breach of the peace. In cities they may claim exemption from jury duty during their terms of service," so as to read:—

District election boards shall consist of a judge and two inspectors, who shall be chosen biennially, by the citizens at the municipal election; but the General Assembly may require said boards to be appointed in such manner as it may by law provide. Laws regulating the appointment of said boards may be enacted to apply to cities only: Provided, That such laws be uniform for cities of the same class. Each elector shall have the right to vote for the judge and one inspector, and each inspector shall appoint one clerk. The first election board for any new district shall be selected, and vacancies in election boards filled, as shall be provided by law. Election officers shall be privileged from arrest upon days of election, and while engaged in making up and transmitting returns, except upon warrant of a court of record or judge thereof, for an election fraud for felony, or for wanton breach of the peace. In cities they may claim exemption from jury duty during their terms of service.

Amendment Eight—To Article Twelve Section One.

Section 9. Amend section one, article twelve, which reads as follows:—

"All officers, whose selection is not provided for in this Constitution, shall be elected or appointed as may be directed by law," so as to read:—

All officers, whose selection is not provided for in this Constitution, shall be elected or appointed as may be directed by law: Provided, That elections of State officers shall be held on a general election day, and elections of local officers shall be held on a municipal election day, except when, in either case, special elections may be required to fill unexpired terms.

Amendment Nine—To Article Fourteen Section Two.

Section 10. Amend section two of article fourteen, which reads as follows:—

"County officers shall be elected at the general elections and shall hold their offices for the term of three years, beginning on the first Monday of January next after their election, and until their successors shall be duly qualified; all vacancies not otherwise provided for shall be filled in such manner as may be provided by law," so as to read:—

County officers shall be elected at the municipal elections and shall hold their offices for the term of four years, beginning on the first Monday of January next after their election, and until their successors shall be duly qualified; all vacancies not otherwise provided for, shall be filled in such manner as may be provided by law.

Amendment Ten—To Article Fourteen, Section Seven.

Section 11. Amend section seven, article fourteen, which reads as follows:—

"Three county commissioners and three county auditors shall be elected in each county where such officers are chosen, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five and every third year thereafter; and in the election of said officers each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons, and the three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected; any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioner or county auditor shall be filled, by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur, by the appointment of an elector of the proper county who shall have voted for the commissioner or auditor whose place is to be filled," so as to read:—

Three county commissioners and three county auditors shall be elected in each county where such officers are chosen, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven and every fourth year thereafter; and in the election of said officers each qualified elector shall vote for no more than two persons, and the three persons having the highest number of votes shall be elected; any casual vacancy in the office of county commissioner or county auditor shall be filled by the court of common pleas of the county in which such vacancy shall occur, by the appointment of an elector of the proper county who shall have voted for the commissioner or auditor whose place is to be filled.

Schedule for the Amendments.

Section 12. That no inconvenience may arise from the changes in the Constitution of the Commonwealth, and in order to carry the same into complete operation, it is hereby declared that—

In the case of officers elected by the people, all terms of office fixed by act of Assembly at an odd number of years shall each be lengthened one year, but the Legislature may change the length of the term, provided the terms for which such officers are elected shall always be for an even number of years.

The above extension of official terms shall not affect officers elected at the general election of one thousand nine hundred and eight; nor any city, ward, borough, township, or election division officers, whose terms of office, under existing law, end in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

In the year one thousand nine hundred and ten the municipal election shall be held on the third Tuesday of February as heretofore; but all officers chosen at that election to an office the regular term of which is two years, and also all election officers and assessors chosen at that election, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven. All officers chosen at that election to offices the term of which is now four years, or is made four years by the operation of these amendments or this schedule, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. All justices of the peace, magistrates, and aldermen, chosen at that election, shall serve until the first Monday of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen. After the year nineteen hundred and ten, and until the Legislature shall otherwise provide, all terms of city, ward, borough, township, and election division officers shall begin on the first Monday of December in an odd-numbered year.

All city, ward, borough, and township officers holding office at the date of the approval of these amendments, whose terms of office may end in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of December of that year.

All judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and also all county officers, holding office at the date of the approval of these amendments, whose terms of office may end in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

A true copy of the Joint Resolution.

ROBERT McAFEE,
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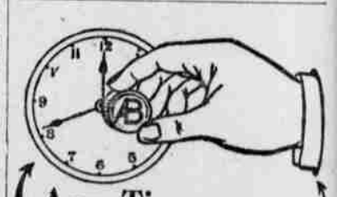

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